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STEAM FOR

D. AND . WAY DEAD MOUNTS BLOW TO

MARSEILLES.

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PUBLISHED EVERY EVENING. AND WITH WHICH IS INCORPORATED THE "HONGKONG EVENING MAIL AND SHIPPING LIST."

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, 10TH OCTOBER, 1868.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. George Street, 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTCH, 121, Hol-

4 Old Jewry, E.C. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND :-- GORDON & GOTCH, Melbourne and Sydney. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports

horn Hill, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co.,

generally: - WHITE & BAUER, San CHINA: - Swalow, Drown & Co. Amoy. GILES & Co. Foochow, THOMPSON Co. Shanghai, H. Foge & Co. Ma-

nila. G. KARUTH & Co.

arrivais.

Oct. 10, Leen Fa, Brit. barque, 286, Col-

linson, Lagui Mauoc, Oct. 1, Timber.-Oct. 10, Argus, H. B. M. steamer, 981 Hallowes, Singapore, Oct. 1, 11 p.m.

Departures.

Oct. 10, Henry Grenfell, for Yokohama. 10, Yesso, for East Coast. 10, Azof, for East Coast.

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Willy, for Bangkok. San Francisco, for Foochow. Daylight, for Baugkok. Eduard Marguard, for Bangkok. Onward, for Melbourne. Nestor, for Shanghai,

Shipping Reports.

H. B. M. steamer, Argus, reports lef Singapore on the 1st Oct. at 11 p.m., with il. M.S. Perseits in tow, towed her 70 miles clear, cast off, when she steered for Saigon Fine weather during passage, had S. W winds until off Pulo Sapato, then variable, and had N. E., from Macclesheld bankfrom 2 to 4 force.

The British barque Leen Fa, from Lagu Manoc, reports the first part of passage fine weather and light variable wines, the latter part moderate E.N.E. wind until arrival in port; the British barque Navarino loading at Callylean for Hongkong with Timber.

Under Despatch.

For Singapore & Calcutta. - Ver Glengyle, on Tuesday, the 20th instant, at 2 P.M. For Shanghai. - Per Nestor, at Daylight, Fo-morrow, the 11th instant.

New Advertisements

DE SOUZA'S DIARY FOR 1869. WILL be published on 15th November This DIARY has a large circulation in

Hongkong, and in all the Coast Ports, and also in Japan. Advertisements for the DIARY will be received until the 31st October, at the Office of the Undersigned, Hollywood Road. Terms: \$10 per page, on the covers; for the inside, \$6 per page. Parts of the page

in proportion. 😕 DE SOUZA & Co. Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

SPANISH CONSULATE.

N the 9th day of December next, a Contract will be closed at Madrid by the Minister for the Colonies for TENDERS for the Service of Steamers to take the SPANISH MAILS between Singapore and

Parties wishing to enter on the above agreement will please apply to the Consulate, where all particulars relating to the same will be submitted to their inspection. F. ORTUÑO,

Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

OFFICE AND HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, SILVER PLATE, PLATED WARE, Erc., Erc. ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions from Messrs ALFRED WILKINSON & Co. to sell by Public Auction at their Premises, Gough Street, on

TUESDAY,

the 20th Instant, at Noon,— Household FURNITURE, etc., comprising: Couches, Chairs, Teapoys, Engravings, Carpets, Easy Chairs, Glassware, Plated-ware, Silver Plate, Whatnots, Tables, Carpet, Punkahs, Cutlery, Dinner Services, Sideboards, Iron Bedstead, Lamps. Porcelain Top Teapoys, Wardrobes, Wine Racks, Ice Boxes. Office. FURNITURE, comprising: Desks, Tables, Stools, Lacquered Boxes, Camphor Wood Chests and Pigeon Holes, Letter Scales, Iron Chest, etc., etc.

1 No. 4/2.13 Milner's Patent Strong Holdfast Fire Proof SAFE. The door fitted with Milner's Patent Gunpowder Proof Solid Lock, quite new.

1 Mountain CHAIR. 1 Gentleman's Sedan Do.

Catalogues will be issued, after which the whole may be viewed. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17. All Lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall

of the hammer. Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

New Advertisements.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

INSURANCE OF PASSENGERS' BAGGAGE AND

EFFECTS. RRANGEMENTS have been made wit 1 the Marine and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Head Office, 14 Leadenhall Street, London) to afford facilities to Passengers by the Peninsular and Oriental Company, to insure their Baggage and

The Table of Rates is for the whole of the journey from Hongkong to England. including transit through Egypt.

W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

STAG R TEL STORES. FOR SALE.

TUFF GORDON'S SHERRY, in cases of 1 doz., at \$9 per case. BOKER'S BITTERS, in cases of 1 doz. at!\$12 per case or \$1.25 per bottle. EDMUND HOLMES.

Hongkong, October 10, 1868.



· EALED TENDERS will be received at this Office until Noon on Saturday the 17th instant, for the hire of Houses containing 6 rooms and upwards, suitable for Offices, and Officer's Quarters; also for Blocks of Chinese Houses, to accommodate from 200 to 400 Native Troops. These Houses must be in good repair, properly drained, and well supplied with Water. The rent to be stated exclusive of rates and taxes. Houses hired for Her Majesty's Service being exempt from rates and taxes. REDMOND UNIACKE,

Den. Commis. Gen. Controller's Office Commissariat, Hongkong, October 7, 1868.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS CO.

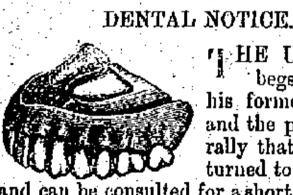
LIMITED. ENDERS are invited for the Surplus TAR produced at the Works of the above for a period of 6 months, commencing from the 1st day of November next. The quantity produced is about 2500

gallons per mouth. Tenders will be received until the 28th instant, by the Undersigned, from whom all further information may be obtained. The right to reject the highest or any

A. NEWTON,

Hongkong, October 7, 1868.

Gas Works



I HE Undersigned begs to inform his former patients and the public generally that he has returned to Hongkong. and can be consulted for a short time at the

Hotel d'Europe. J. S. BURLINGHAM. Hongkong, October 5, 1868.

PAIR of Black Retrievers, DOG and A BITCH. The owner can have them on payment of cost of advertisement, &c. Apply to Superintendent of Police. Hongkong, October 5, 1868.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAM-BOAT CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

N and after MONDAY, the 5th instant, the Fire Dart will start for Macao rom Hougkong at 2 P.M., instead of 2.30 P.M., and heretofore. She will continue to leave Macao for Hongkong on her return voyage at 8 A.M. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

General Agents. Hongkong, October 1, 1868.

NOTICE. OCUMENTS Translated, at reasonable Prates, from English, French, Spanish, Italian, Portuguese or German into Chinese, or from Chinese into English. Ad

The "China Mail" Office · 2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

NOTICE THE Office of the WANCHI STEAM BAKERY is REMOVED to the Store of Messrs MAGEWEN & Co., where all orders addressed "WANCHI STEAM BAKERY" will receive the 14th October, 1868, at 11 o'clock CAKE constantly on hand.

L. P. WARD, Proprietor.

PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT. GENERAL AVERAGE ADJUSTER SURVEYOR OF DAMAGED GOODS. Office, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, Medical Hall, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 25th July, 1868.

TARS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY AJ (in diamond) BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, KUC (in square) Hollywood Road, next door to the Horel UA (in diamond) D'EUROPE, Hongkong. N. B .- Also Rooms to let without board commanding a delightful view of the Har-

Hongkong, May I, 1867,

1 varcel 33 bags Fungus. P (in diamond)

Shark Fins. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, October 9, 1868,

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE AT EAST POINT. Complete assortment of Lowmon and A Thornycroft PLATE, and Sheet IRON, BAR, ROD, Angle IRON and RIVETS Double Shear, Spring and Blister STEEL, in round, square and flat bars. Babbits METAL, Rods and Pipes. Gas FITTINGS of every description. Boiler TUBES, Pressure GUAGES. FILES, PACKING and all kinds of Engineer's Supplie

RÚSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1868.

the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAM Tackle, Apparel and Furnituie. Any further information may be obtained BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong- Inventory and other particulars may kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared be obtained on application to the Aucto furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD | tioneers. in various forms, to any part of the Co-

> Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at iow rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short hotice.

Also Vater, Butter, Soda and Sugar risk upon fall of the hammer. BISUUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY CORN STARCH, BICARB, SODA, Saleratus and Cream TARTAR.

FLOUR of best Brands constantly on hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or

CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Messrs MacEwen & Co.'s will receive prompt attention, L. P. WARD.

Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

Auctions

PUBLIC AUCTION.

ENGINEERING AND FOUNDRY BUSINESS, ETC.

I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been instructed to offer for sale by Public Auction, (if not previously dis- ing about 2,000 Tons. posed of by private contract), on MONDAY,

12th October, 1868, at Noon,-The ENGINEERING and FOUN DRY BUSINESS, Stock-in-trade, Goodwill, and Working, Plant, with remainder of Lease of Premises for upwards of 2 years, of

Messrs McDougall & Co., Spring Gardens.

The Premises may be inspected at any time before the day of Sale; and the capacity. Auction will be held on the Premises. TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the

on completion of transfer within seven out. days from date of sale under penalty of forfeiture of the first payment. Cash in either in one or more lots to suit pur-Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, September 12, 1868. oc12

PUBLIC AUCTION THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by Public Auction, on

WEDNESDAY. the 14th of October, 1868, at Noon, or the Premises, under a power of sale contained in the deed of Mortgage,-

The GROUNDS, MESSUAGES, and PREMISES, situate on the Praya, West Point, and known as the Eastern Moiety of Marine Lot 198. The Lot has a Praya frontage of 85

feet by 250 feet deep, and contains ten substantially built Houses, and there is sufficient space for the erection of several

The houses are all tenanted. For further particulars,

Apply to the undersigned. TERMS OF SALE .- One half of the purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, the balance on completion of the deeds of transfer to be paid by

Property to be at risk of purchaser from the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

PUBLIC AUCTION. ▲MMERT, ATKINSON & Co. will

sell by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY

A.M., by order of Messrs Melchens & Co., at their Godowns.-

The following GOODS saved from the N Current Deposit Accounts at the rate Hongkong, September 3, 1868. des wreck of the late schooner China Packet, stranded on the Philippine Islands, D . (For account of whom it may concern.) CH 3 cases Copper.

> 42 barrels " 91 bundles 11

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY, 15th October, 1868, at Noon, at the

of 1067 tons Register or thereabout, as /IHE Undersigned having PURCHASED she now lies in the Harbour, with her

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery

The Purchaser will pay all expenses

BOWRA & Co., Austioneers.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

The BUILDINGS known as DENT & Co.'s Hongkong Praya Property, measuring 298 feet in frontage by 175 feet in depth, situated on Marine Lot No. 7,

and consisting of One DWELLING HOUSE in the Eastern Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid

The Centre BUILDING known as DENT & Co.'s Offices, containing 8 Rooms, Compradore's Quarters, Spacious Fireproof Treasury and Godown, capable of Holding about 1,000 Tons. Que DWELLING HOUSE in the

Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor. with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, an a Godown below of about 2,000 Tons

purchase money to be paid on the fall of led two years and are built of Granite and the hammer; the remaining two-thirds Brick, the woodwork being Teak through-

The whole of this Property to be sold

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer, one third 2 months after sale and the balance 4 months after sale, in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 Transfer expenses to be borne by the

For further particulars or details of Mesers BREMNER & LAYCOCK, 4, Austin Friars,

Old Broad Street. London, E.C., Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigned. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, June 10, 1868.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman, -George John Helland, Esq. Deputy Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq. W. H. FORBES, ESQ. JAMES B. TAYLOR, SOLOMON D. SASSOON. Esq.

WILLIAM LEMANN, JAS. P. DUNGANSON, oct14 Julius Menke, Esq. Richard Rowett, Esq.

> E. R. Belilios, Esq. VICTOR KRESSER, Esq.

. DAVID MACLEAN, Esq. LONDON BANKERS .- London and County HONGKONG, INTEREST ALLOWED

of 1 per cent, per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits :---For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent. 5 per cent. ,, ,,

LOUAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and nage 244.78; teak Decks and fittings; has Exchange business transacted. chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. VICTOR KRESSER,

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No, 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, June 17, 1868

THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, by order of Capt. ONATA, under authority of the Spanish Consul

(On account of whom it may concern,)

Chancellery of the Spanish Consulate SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA mar10. Wyndhum Street,-BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS,

THE Company's Steam-ship "DONNAI," Commandant Bourdon, will leave in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 The vessel with all faults and errors of description whatsoever at Purchaser's

Hongkong, October 2, 1868.

TIME Undersigned have received instructions from the Trustees of DENT & Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction (if not previously disposed of by private sale), on an early day in November next, on the Ground.-

on, and a Godown below capable of hold

Passengers ticketed through to California

Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum. These Buildings have only been erect-

Co., and North German Lloyds.

Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option. Agency of the Company, Praya West.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP

NOTICE.

at 2 P.M., day of sailing. GEO. F. BOWMAN,

FOR SALE. Steam-ship

Denny and Brothers, Dumhorse-power; steams 8 knots without wind or tide; length 170 feet, breath 23, depth of hold 12; gross tonnage 360, register tonvery comfortable 1st class accommodation ; Drafts, granted on London, and the carries 8 days coal in bunkers; consumes

> For further particulars, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, October 3, 1868,

this Port for the above places, with MAILS. PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO. the 25th instant, at 2 P.M. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for

the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until P.M. of the 24th Instant, Specie an Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 24th Instant. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) For further particulars, apply at the

Company's Office. U. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, October 7, 1868.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

TEAMERS of this line will be despatch-O ed as follows :— Great Republic, on or about Aug. 15.

above port, and has room for a Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or about same dates, connecting at Yokohams with above-usmed steamers.

Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall Return tickets issued at a reduction

10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Cen tral and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company," (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship

Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southamptor and St. Nazaire, France.

For further information, apply at the GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent. Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

shipping.

COMPANY.

The Steam-ship

Captain E. R. WARSAW, will sail from Hongkong for Yo kohama and San Francisco, on the 15tl nstant, at 3 r.m. precisely, No Freight received after Noon of the 4th instant. Passengers are requested to be on board

Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

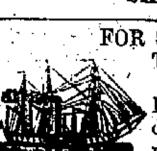
Built in 1868 of Iron by W.

12 tors coal per day.

Capt. J. H. ATKINSON, On Board.

Shipping.

Price, \$24 per Annum.



FOR SHANGHAI. The Ocean S. S. Co.'s str. " NESTOR." DRENNING, Master, will be despatched for the above port at Daylight on the

Despatches will close at the office, at 2 P.M. on Saturday. For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR AMOVE AND ALL TO THE PARTY OF THE PARTY Calling at Swatow should sufficient induce-

ment offer. The steamer will have quick despatch for the above ports. "FUNG SHUEY"

For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, October 7, 1868.

FOR SHANGHAI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN. The Tahitian steamer "TITAUA," Captain Hamlen, will load here and at Canton for the above ports, and have despatch.

For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, October 1, 1868. FOR NAGASAKI DIRECT. The A 1 N. G. barque " CATHARINA JUR. GENSEN" Captain PRIERSON, will bave early despatch for the above port, For Freight or Passage, apply to

LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, October 2, 1868. FOR MELBOURNE DIRECT The British barque "DOUGLASS" will have immediate despatch

For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, October 2, 1868. FOR NEW YORK. The British barque "PRINCESS OF WALES." will load at Whampon for the

limited amount of freight, for which apply AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, September 26, 1868.

The British ship "DOUGLASS," "DOUGLASS,"
540 Tons Register, MORRISON, Master, will have quick despatch For Freight or Passage, apply to BOSMAN & Co.

Hongkong, September 24, 1868

For Freight, apply to

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY. The American Baroue "MJUD HELEN." Captain THOMAS, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will have quick despatch.

ĂUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, September 24, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The American barque "POWHATTAN" Capt. PATTEN, will have quick despatch for the above port. For freight or passage, apply to

FOR NEW YORK. The North German barque "MERIDA," will load at Whampoa for the above port, and have quick des-

For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Hongkong, September 22, 1868.

Hongkong, September 19, 1868. FOR NEW YORK. The American Clipper-ship "GAME CUCK," 1,119 Tons Register, Captain B. F. SHERBURNE, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampon, at current rates, and have early despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to

DLYPHANT & Co.

CARR, Master, will meet with quick despatch for the above For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, September 19, 1868.

Hongkong, September 17, 1868.

FOR LONDON.

The A 1 British ship

THE following Goods Ex British barque. "River Eden" from Calcutta, have barton | Engines Diagonal Oscillating 80 | been landed and stored at the risk and exhorse-power nominal, working up to 250 pense of the Consignees who are requested. to take immediate delivery from the Godowns of the Undersigned. S M & Co. 100 bales Cotton shipped by Messis Sungmon & Co. (B in diamond) I bale Cotton shipped by Messis Sengmon & Co. 41 bls. Cotton shipped by RAM-; JEEDASS LUCII-

> SM&Co., 200 bags Saltpetre shipped by Мезага Ѕенсмон & Со. N. MODY & Con Hongkong, September 29, 1868. oc14

MG&Co. 49 ,, ,,) MINARAYEM Esq.

Hongkong, October 5, 1868.

WANTED. TENANT for a term of years for the A House No. 1 in Caine Road, now in course of erection. The House most conveniently situated and affording an excellent view of the harbour, will contain Drawing and Dining Rooms, Library, five Bed-Rooms with Bath Rooms attached, Stabling, all necessary Room for servants, and will be completely fitted with Gas and

A plan of the House may be seen and particulars obtained at the Office of ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, October 5, 1868.

TO LET. FI HREE Houses on Pedder's Hill, each Containing Four Rooms with outhouses attached. Water and Gas laid.

For particulars, apply to H. PESTONJEE SETNA, At Messrs P. & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co's Office. Queen's Road. Hongkong, October 1, 1868.

TO LET. PROM the 1st proximo that handsome and eligible house in Mosque Terrace, presently occupied by J. S. LAPRAIK, Esq., and formerly by Dr. KANE.

J. GERRARD. Hongkong, September 21, 1868. HE very desirable semi-detached House

I No. 2, GROSVENOR VILLAS, Caine Road, quite newly built and fitted with every convenience. Water, Gas and Bells laid throughout. Has roomy Stables and Coach-house at-

tached. For further particulars, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 14 1868.

TO BE LET. HE House No. 10, Shelley Street. Gas and Water laid on. Rent \$40 per

THOS. HOWARD. Hongkong, September 12, 1868.

TO BE LET.

HE DESIRABLE STORE with Shot J FRONT adjoining the Hongkone Dispensary.

Enquire of A. S. WATSON & Co. Hongkong, September 3, 1868.

TO BE LET. In one or two Suites, suitable for Offices or

THE entire UPPER FLOOR of the

HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, September 3, 1868.

TO LET. THREE Spacious GODOWNS suitable of Vessels. A for storing dry Goods; also a Fireproof GODOWN capable of containing 1,000 chests of Opium. Situated in the most central part of Queen's Road. Apply to J. F. ROSE, Secretary,

Hongkong, August 12, 1868. TWO HOUSES TO BE LET DECENTLY put in thorough Repair, si-

It tuated on the RISE OF THE HILL, Westward, and an easy distance from the is always in readiness to tow Vessels to Queen's Road, Apply to WR BARRINGTON Wyndham Street.

Hongkong, May 13, 1868. LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Mer-

chandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. - Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

TO LET. 113HE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Mesers Elmenhorst & Sanders.

For particulars, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

TO LET. COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated 4 Morrison Hill, commanding a thorough view of the Harbour, with Stables, &c.

THOMAS WALLACE, East Point Godowns. Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

NOTICE.

TO LET.

THE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of the Asiatic Bank. For particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, May 18, 1868.

VIRST Rate ROOMS for Offices or Dwel-Line HOUSE for Families in the Queen's Road, No. 92, with new Verandah. whole in a thorough state of repair.

Messre WM. SCHMIDT & Co., Gunmakers. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

TO LET. THE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly occupied by Messrs Annhold, Kar-BERG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House, Offices, and spacious Godowns. Possession to be had on the 1st March.

JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

FOR STORAGE OR TO LET. ONE Large Dry Godown, situated on the Praya, next to Mesers WM. PUSTAU & Co. s.

Apply to L. FRICKEL & Co. Hongkong, August 28, 1868.

Houses and Lands.

OUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor above the Offices of the Undersigned, 44. Queen's Road, at present occupied by Messrs C. Hock & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January, 1868. For Torms, &c., apply to

DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867. TO LET. HE whole of the upper part of the house

on Peddar's Wharf, at present occupied by the Undersigned. Possession on the 15th Proximo. THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, August 26, 1868.

HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent \$28 per month. Apply at the Victoria Foundry.

Hongkong, March 12, 1868.

TO BE LET. WO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63.

Apply to GAVIN THOMPSON, at GIBB, LIVIN ISTON & Co.'s Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

Docks.

FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED

HE above Dock has been in full working order for the last four years. Length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out

For further particulars as to the price of coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messrs De Sil ver & Co., Hongkong; Messrs Boyn & Co., Shanghai; or to the Undersigned.

In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG." Vessels requiring the services of this Tug either from Matsou (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application

JOHN C. SKEY, Pagoda Auchorage, River Min.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED

I'HE Company respectfully beg to call the A attention of Ship Owners, Consigness and Masters of Vessels to their establishments at Whampoa and Hongkong, which offer every facility for the docking and re-

pairs of Vessels of all classes: Their Docks at Whampon are in good working order and are pumped out by Steam, and the workshops comprise the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker, and Machine works, Materials supplied of the best kind and on the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of which masts and boilers can be taken out

Their Hongkorg establishment comprises | Not exceeding 1 month, 4 of the annual rat also the different departments of Ship- Above 1 month and wright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker and Machine works and possesses a pair of lifting Above 3 months and

| vantageously situated, solidly built, and full dimensions to admit the docking of any | Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company Vessel coming to this harbour, will be completed in a very short time. The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN

Dock, free of charge, and to sea, or new berth, at reduced rates. All works carried on under the superintendence of experienced European foremen, For particulars, apply at the office of the

Company, Queen's Road. JOHN INGLIS, Acting Secretary. N.B.—Consignees or Masters of Vessels having cause to complain of the works done at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please address their complaints to the Office of the Company, which will receive the immediate atten-

tion of the Directors. Hongkong, July 14, 1868.

Steam Tug.

NOTICE. PHE STEAM TUG ISLAND QUEEN 130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to ply on the River Min and adjacent waters early in the spring, and will then be available to berth ships at the anchorage, and to tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. For further information, apply to Messre E. H. How & Co., Foodhow, or to the Un-

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

Insurances

DOEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated 1859. CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY ESTABLISHED 1888. CAPITAL, £500,000. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Houghong Medical Referee, - J. Ivon MURRAY. Above 1 month, and Esq., M.D. I'HE Undersigned having been appointed

Managing Agents for the above Comnany are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of propoalls, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Managing Agents in China. Hongkong, June, 1867.

Insurances

THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868. JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE

HE Undersigned liaving been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, July 27, 1868.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. (FIRE AND LIFE.) CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STERLING.

HE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

PROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding } i of the Annual Rate. one month,. Above 1 month and not exceeding three months, Above 3 m'ths

and not ex-

ceeding six mouths..... Above 6 m'the, | The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 14, 1868. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co. HE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at the Ports of Tamsul and Kenung, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSURance at current rates.

DODD & Co. Tamsui, 10th August, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period

not exceeding 6.... 2 Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited. Their Granite Dock at Kowloon most ad- Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

not exceeding 3.... 1

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM INTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire nsurance. viz :--

etached and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents, ther Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents. odowns, Officer, Shops, &c.

and their Contents. . I per cent. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance

Hongkong, March 6, 1865. BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS

INSURANCE COMPANY. IME Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Con-. g per cent.

Other $Dwelling ext{-}Houses$ used strictly as such, and their Contents, . Godowns, Offices! Shops, &c. and their Contents.

GILMAN & Co... Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. TROM and after this date the following Hates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz: Managing Agents in China, - Messrs. Not exceeding one \ dof the annual rate. not exceeding 8 months.

Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6 months, Above 6 months, ... the full Annual rate. GILMAN & Oo., Agents, North British and Mercantile

Hongkong, April 7, 1868,

Insurance Company,

Insurances.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSÚRÁNCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament. ESTABLISHED 1809,

CAPITAL £2,000,000 ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

THE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co Hneougkong, Ju 21, 1864.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

NOTICE.

Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in

future for short period Insurances, viz:--Not exceeding I month, & per cent. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 do. Above 3 months and

not exceeding 6,..... do. Above 6 months the full annual rate HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1868

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION. HE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: One month . . . Three months. .

Six months. . HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY. (Established 1st January, 1863.)

CAPITAL, TLS. 1,500,000, IN 1,500 SHABES FOR TLS. 1,000 BAOH. Paid up Capital, Taels 300,000, or Taels 200 per Share.

Provisional Committee. W. J. BRYANS, Esq., Chairman. (Messis Turner & Co.) F. H. Bell, Esq. (Messrs W. R. Adamson & Co.)

A Michie, Esq. (Messrs Chapman, King & Co.) E. H. LAVERS, Esq. (Mesers GILMAN & Co.) F. Ронтви, Esq.

(Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.) Directors of the Company, 1866-68. A Ta General Meeting held on Tuesday, A the 12th day of May, 1868, the following Resolutions were passed, relative to the continuance of the Company for a further period of three years from the 1st January, 1869; and Notice is hereby given that applications for Shares in the annexed Form, will be received at the Offices of the Company until 31st October, 1868. Applications for Shares from Persons not

esident in Shanghai, must be accompanied by a Power of Attorney to their Agents to sign the Deed of Settlement on their behalf and generally to represent them in all matters connected with the Company. In accordance with the Resolution passed at the meeting of 18th November, 1867, a separate Office of the Company will be opened in London, on 1st January, 1869. By order of the Court of Directors. JOHN S. MACKINTOSH.

Secretary. Shanghai, May 15, 1868.

Form of Application for Shares. To the Provisional Committee of the North

CHINA INBURANCE COMPANY.

hereby request that you will allot Shares in the above Company, and without reference to England. agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to agree to pay the first call of Tls. 200 per Share, and all subsequent calls, and subscribe to the Deed of Settlement whenever required to do so.

Your obedient Servant

Resolutions referred to above. RES. I.—That a Company to be called the "North-China Insurance Company" shall be formed for a further period of three

years, from 1st January, 1869 to 31st Dec. RES. II.—That the Directors for the time being of the present Company be appointed to act as a Provisional Committee to organize the new Company.

Res. III.—That this meeting recommends that the Provisional Committee should adopt as the basis of the new Company that the capital should be 1,500,000 in 1.500 Shares of Tls. 1,000 each; l'aid up Capital, Tls. 300,000 or Tls. 200 per Share, and that the Committee be authorized to issue a prospectus inviting applications for Shares and to proceed with the allotment.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE: LIROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, vik:---Not exceeding } h of the Annual Rate. Above 1 month and not ex-Above 3 in the

months. Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Manugers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

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Insurances.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF M NCHESTER AND LONDON

CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING. HE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messra Holliday, Wise & Co. as agents for the Company at Hongkong, Shanghae, Canton, Hankow, and Fuhchau, who are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates and of whom all needful information may be ob-

By Order of the Board. JAR B. NORTHCOTT, Secretary. ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY. NOTICE. , ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period msurances, viz.-Not exceeding) of the Annual Rate.

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mouths..... Above 6 m'ths. The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliar ce Fire Assurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868. Detached and semi-detached.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, -Two MILLION STERLING. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding I month, & of the annual rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, do.

not exceeding 6,..... do. Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate MORGÁN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company.

Hougkong, May 20, 1868.

Above 3 months and

MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, SAN FRANCISCO. PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, August 9 1867.

GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1821.

CAPITAL 42,000,000. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hongkong and Canton are prepared to grant Policies at current rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, July 17, 1868. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY: FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000. (LIFE DEPARTMENT.) £2 perCent. per Annum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two Years' standing.

The utmost liberality practised in the

settlement of all Claims, with the repre-

sentatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Bead-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned

Fees to Medical Referees paid by the No forfeiture of Policy from uninten-Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2, 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a per-

mament resident in Europe :--

WITH WITHOUT PARTICIPATION | PARTICIPATION 4 14 18

Intermediate ages charged proper-For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY, I future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding One) Above One Month) and not exceeding } ter cent, Three Months, Above Three Months and not exceeding } # per cent. Six Months, Above Six Months, Thefull Annual Rate ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company Hougkong, April 7, 1868,

insurances.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extend. ed limits from THE ROYAL INSUR. ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to ssue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong. \$60,000; in Macso \$45,000.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool. Hongkong, June 17, 1864:

REDUCTION

IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE,

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er. FECTS, therein contained.

In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. :---

Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents. per cent. Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their

Contents, f per cent. First Class $\it China\ House$ and their Contents, 12 per cent. Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company.

Hongkong, November 9, 1866. AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA. SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON. ROB: S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

LIFE ASSURANCE. (I HE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue LIFE Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board. ROB. S. WALLER & Co.,

Hongkong, January 6, 1865. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above L Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and

Agents Royal Insurance Company.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867. BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE

GOODS, at current rates.

COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named COMPANY are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAL THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to

the amount of premium paid by each po-RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 2, 1867. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above Insul. ANCE COMPANK are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

LUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

SAMARAN J SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. RAYNAL & Co. Macao, August 4, 1866.

SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY OF BATAVIA. SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPATY OF SAMARANG.

DE OOSTERLING

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, August 1866. NOTICE.

DROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Perica Insurances:--Not exceeding one month, d of the Annual rate. Above one month andnotexceeding 3 months, 2

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Above 6 months, ... the full annual rate. TURNER & Co., Agente Hongkong, April 18, 1868,

Post-Office Notil 1.—On the 1st October

No 1670.—Octo

forward Money Orders v this Office and at the Ag Shanghai and Yokohama Order Offices in the Unit Great Britain and Ireland. exceeding £10, at the ra Current for Each Mail, an Commission according Scale, viz. :-For sums not exceeding Above £2 and not exceed

2.-No Money Order t tional part of a Penny. 3.-Orders drawn in th dem upon Hongkong, Shan bama, will be paid at the r at which Money Orders are the time of their presentati 4 -Alphabetical Lists Money Order Offices in the dom, showing the Countil are situated, are hung up ence at this Office, and 5.-Applicants for Mon furnish, in full, the surnar

and Yokohama. the initial of one Christian the Remitter and the Pave ter or Payee be a Peer or dinary title will be sufficient usual designation of such "Baring Brothers" will mere term Messrs., such vington," or the name of a ing under a title which doe the names of the persons'co as " Carron Co." is inadmit 6.—The Remitter on stat der is to be paid only throu have the option of giving the name of the Payee; in Order will be crossed in the Cheques are commonly cro are intended to be paid thr 7.—When an Order is pr

Bank, a receipt by any p ficient, provided the Order. the name of the receiving presented by some Person the employ of such Bank 8.—The signature of the ney Order to be affixed to place provided for the n Payee be unable to write h receipt by making his mark of a Witness, who must a g his address in the presence who pays the Order. 9.—Should the Payee of desire to receive navment: which the Order was issued Office than that in which t ginally drawn, the transfer provided the Order be Postmaster of the Office drawn. In such case a ne

10.—In the event of miscarrying or being loss. be granted on a written the Payee, (containing particulars, and accompan tional Commission) to the Original Order was payabl 11.—On the receipt of tion, orders will be given of a Money Order, or to Order. The additional Co last case will be deducted of the new Order. Lapsod presented with the applica

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the end of the following.

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to the Money will be under peculiar circumsta Office of the Country in was drawn think proper to 16.—After once paying by whomsoever presented, will not be liable to any fu a wrong payment, howeve to negligence on the part. the Post Office, the Postn the Country or Colony in gence occurs will, if he se Officer in fault to make go 17.—No Money Order v the advice has been previo 18. —Additional Rules rity against fraud, and for ing of the system general as occasion may require. :19. -Should it appear t are used by mercantile cither in the United Kingd kong, Shanghai or Yok transmission of large sum

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FIRE INSURANCE PANY. having been appointed ngkong for the above prepared to grant Po-ISKS, at currentrates. RUSSELL & Co.

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TURNER & Co., Agents 13, 1866,

Post-Office Notifications.

No 1670,—OCTOBER 10, 1868.

1.—On the 1st October next, and thenceforward Money Orders will be issued at this Office and at the Agencies thereof at Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange Current for Each Mail, and charged with Commission according to the following Scale, viz. :-For sums not exceeding £2,.....12

Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5,....24 2. No Money Order to include a frac-

tional part of a Penny. 3.—Orders drawn in the United Kingdem upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yoko hama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued the time of their presentation. 4 -Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom, shewing the Counties in which they

are situated, are bung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokoliama. 5.—Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least the initial of one Christian name, both o the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Payee be a Peer or a Bishop, his ordinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the

usual designation of such firm, such as "Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the mere term Messrs., such as "Messrs. Rivington," or the name of a Company trad ing under a title which does not consist of the names of the persons composing it, such as "Carron Co." is inadmissible. 6.—The Remitter on stating that the Or-

der is to be paid only through a Bank, to have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payce; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank. 7.—When an Order is presented through

a Bank, a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order be crossed with the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be in t the employ of such Bank. 8.—The signature of the Payee of a Mo

nev Order to be affixed to the Order in the place provided for the purpose. If the Payee be unable to write he must sign the receipt by making his mark in the presence of a Witness, who must sign his name, with his address in the presence of the Officer who pays the Order.

9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order desire to receive payment in the Country in which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was ori ginally drawn, the transfer will be granted provided the Order be inclosed to the Postmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will be issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount of the new Order.

10.—In the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the Original Order was payable.

11.—On the receipt of a similar application, orders will be given to stop paymen of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new

error in the name of the Remitter or Payee | best Mines only, intends to provide a supeshould be corrected or that the amount of rior article, free of the Surface Coal that a Money Order should be repaid to the has hitherto prejudiced consumers. Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This. application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the Bank Buildings, Queen's Road. amount of the New Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been caucelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn.

14.—Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Mouth after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise the Order will become lapsed. and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount of the Order, will be charged) will become

15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn,—for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January—all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless, under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it. 16.—After once paying a Money Order

by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. If a wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer of the Post Office, the Postmaster General of the Country or Colony in which the negli gence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss. 17.—No Money Order will be paid unless

the advice has been previously received. 18.—Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others, either in the United Kingdom or at Hongkong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the Tansmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders.

By Command, F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

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FRICKEL & CO Ship-Chandlers, Sailmakers, GENERAL STOREKEEPERS,

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- B I N G SAIL MAKER Endicott Lane. No. 46, UPSTAIRS. English and American Canvas of the best Brands constantly on Hand. Hongkong, July 13, 1868.

WHITE & Co., AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS. No. 93, Praya Grande, MACAO. Macao, July 21, 1868.

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Hongkong, September 21, 1868.

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ICED DRINKS. Hongkong, May 4, 1868.

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orders for any Newspaper or Magazine published in England or The United States of America, at prices as low as those charged by any home agency, begs to solicit the support of the reading Public, and assure those who may favor him with their orders that the same shall be executed faithfully and The latest copies of the best English

and American Newspapers received by every mail steamer, also the latest copies of the Shanghai and Japan For subscription lists, with prices, H. B. Gibb, Esq. Apply to

J. B. MORRIS, Care of Messrs Bowra & Co, Hongkong Hongkong, March 4, 1868

SHANGHAI STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE. TTOLDERS of Certificates of Shares in ROWLEY MILLER, Secretary & Auditor.

Shanghai, 24th February, 1868.

Intimations.

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HIS Medicine is universally admitted to be the most efficacious remedy known to the world. No preparation is so suitable to the climates of India and Chins as this fine and invigorating medicine. particularly adapted to the constitution of European ladies, as it is never failing in its effects in all diseases peculiar to females, while those who are attenuated by the debilitating effects of the above climates will find in this wonderful remedy a kind of talisman whereby they may insure a restoration to robust health.

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C. L. VOLKMANN, Private Boarding Establishment

29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

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All orders for Admission to Hospital must ITAS on hand a large Stock of COAL of be countersigned by some responsible Person or Persons resident in the Colony Patients are also admitted on Deposits at despatch at Current Rates, or deliver the the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having been expended:—

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PHE Members of the late Hongkong Volunteer Corps are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed.

H. COHEN. Hongkong; March 13, 1867. Published weekly. - Subscription (Exclusive of postage) Tls. 12 per annum; payable | fect order.

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Esq. A. Heard, Esq. Ivon MURRAY, Esq. H. B. LEMANN, Esq. M. D. Committee of Management. The Hon. J. WHITTALL, Esq., Chairman. THOS. SUTHERLAND, H.G. THOMSETT, Esq. Esq. G. J. Helland, Esq. R.N.

pany are requested to send them to the gents of the Company, to be replaced by thankfully received. Receipts representing the amount of the Captain A. Oversury, assumes the duties old shares and the stock dividend added, of Superintendent from this date, to whom pending the issue of New Share Certificates. or to the committee any information required in connection with the "Home should be applied for. Hougkong, September 21, 1860,

For Sale.

PAYNE AND COMPANY, BELATEE BUNGALOW. Calcutta.

ESTABLISHED HALF A CENTURY, WHOLEBALE AND RETAIL DEPOT FOR THE SALE OF THEIR RENOWNED Chutnies and Indian Condiments. Namely.

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Curry Paste Per doz. pts. 20s Curry Powder Tamarind Fish, 100 slices in barrel. Tamarind Fish Rose) ½ gal. square. Mangoe Fish Roses Smoked Mangoe Fish.

100 in tins. Chili Vinegar Per bottle Per bottle. Cayenne Pepper JAMS AND JELLIES. 2-lb. tins 1-lb. tins. Guava Jelly Tippares Jam Preserved Limes P'erved Mangoes

Pres've ,, Pickled Limes Bael Preserve Bengal Humps 1s od per 1b. N. B.-Chutnies, Curry Powders, and Pastes, shipped in bulk, to any quarter of

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Payne and Co.. Have always on hand a large Stock of superior MANTLA CIGARS, of all sizes. cutta, to accompany order. will be allowed, all Goods free on board in | Herrings, Lime Juice, and other Goods.

FOR SALE. OALS suitable for Household purposes, ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, October 8, 1868.

Ex P. M. S. S. "CHINA." ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have just received the following GOODS for Fine California POTATOE 3. / merican APPLES:

SYROP. MACKEREL, Smokell BEEF. BUTTER and CHEESE Hongkong, October 7, 1868.

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in great variety. THE MEDICAL HALL. 37, Queen's Road Hongkong, September 23, 1868. tf.

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piece sufficient for one suit only. A great | Haute BRION, variety of Patterns. Inspection solicited. 71, Queen's Road, Next to P. & O. Office Hongkong, September 17, 1868.

FOR SALE. WELLOW METAL 16 to 28 oz. and I Nails, Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, September 15, 1868.

FOR SALE. Just Received. Barrels PORTLAND CEMENT. FREDERIC DEGENAER. 8, d'Aquilar Street. Houghong, September 12, 1868.

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FOR SALE, FREE-REED CHAMBER ORGAN. A Size-height, 8 ft. 4 inches, breadth, 4 ft. 6 inches, depth, 3 ft. 3 inches. Two Key Boards, compass CC to C in alt 61 notes; Organ Knee Swell, and Harmonium self-blowing pedals.

ON SWELL ORGAN. -8 feet Diapsson, Dulciana 8 feet, Bassoon, and Oboe. On Great Organ. -8 feet open Diapason, Double Diapason, 16 feet Diapason and Principal.

COUPLERS. Swell to Great. Octave coupler in Swell. The instrument is of great power and well adapted to a small Church or large Hall, The swell is particularly effective. Competent workmen would be provided to erect it in Hongkong.

For terms &c. address "Organ," care of China Mail Office. Hongkong, September 8, 1868. NOTICE.

LAWCETT & Co. having received NEW P GOODS, per Chetah and Veronica, OPENED a Temporary Store, on the 1st September, 1868, in the lower portion of their Premises, facing Wyndham Street and next to their late Store. FOR SALE.

Bass's Pale Ale, in bhds, and Kilderkins. Do. in pints and quarts. Guinness's Dublin Stout, pts. and qts. Hennessy's Pale Brandy, in hulk and

Swain Boord's Ginger Brandy and Old Fine Dinner, After Dinner, and Breakfast Claret. Pale Sherry and old Port, &c., &c.

York Hams, Cheddar and Dutch Cheese, Loaf Sugar, Jams, Pickles, Tart-Fruits Currants, Raisins (pudding), kippered Salmon, pickled and fresh Salmon, Hops, Terms: Remittance, or reference in Cal- Butter, Ox Tongues in jelly, Cocoa and Chocolate and Milk, potted Meats, Sauce For orders over £25, 20 per cent discount and Anchovies, fancy Biscuits, Pickled Hongkong, August 31, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex S.S. "TIGRE." FEW Bags of Mocha COFFEE, @ \$7 per bag of 28 lb. G. DUBOST & Co.

Hongkong, August 31, 1868. FOR SALE. RAUGHT PORTER in Kilderkins HOWARD HODGES Hongkong, August 27 1868.

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Hongkong, August 13, 1868. FOR SALE. MANILA HARD WOOD. Consisting of: MOLAVES. BANABAS. ARANGAS, And other descriptions.

LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, August 11, 1868. FOR SALE, AT THE CHINA SUGAR REFINERY, EAST POINT. QUGAR of the Finest Crystals, equal if not superior to the English Loaf, ranging from Nos. 1 a 6. Also GOLDEN SYRUP, double refined, in quantities to suit purchasers.

WAHEE & Co.

CHINA SUGAR REFINERY, East Point, 5th August, 1868. JUST RECEIVED. Ex "Great Republic." NDERSON'S Solace TOBACCO. Ex "Mail Steamer." Amber MOUTHPIECES. Cherrywood STEMS. CIGARHOLDERS.

Superior Cavite CIGARS. BIELFELD & ZACHARIÆ Hongkong, August 4, 1868. NOTICE. Selling off at great reduction of Prices. HE Undersigned, being desirous closing Consignments, offer to the

Ex "Salve."

3000 cases of CLARETS and French WHITE WINES, comprising ordinary good, fine and finest flavored Clarets, White | J squares. Wines, Chablis, &c., which they will sell at extremely low prices .-Breakfast Clarets. Margaux MEDOC. **\$** 2.75 per doz. St. JULIEN, **4.00** St. EMILION. Chateaux MARGAUX, \$ 5.00

Dinner and After-dinner Clarets,

Haute St. EMILION. \$7.00 per doz. PONTET CANET. VRAY CANON, \$ 8.0U (CHATAUX LAROU) CRUSE FILS. CHATAUX LAFITTE, \$12.00 BRAUNE MOATON, Haute SAUTERNE, CHATAUX D'YQUEM, \$5.00 CHATAUX D'YQUEM DE MARQUIS DE \$10.00 ,, SURSALUCE, tf. Dry CHABLIS in ? Champagne bottles, Burgundy Wines. CHAMBERTIN. \$13.00 per doz. CLOS DE VONGEOT, VOLNAY, 12.50 POMMARD, 10.00

HERMITAGE ROUGE, 8.50

receive an extra discount.

Hongkong, July 25, 1868,

All these Wines are guaranteed of sound

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FOR SALE. HE Undersigned offer for Sale at very moderate prices a choice Assortment of fine flavored Rhenish WINES, as: Genuine JOHANNESBERGER CABINET. STEINBERGER CABINET.

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MARCOBRUNNER CABINET SCHARLACHBERGER. LIEBFRAUEN MILCH NIERENSTEINER, in quarts and pints. RUDESHEIMER BERG. SELTZER WATER, in quarts and pints.

Ruinart Perè & Fils CHAMPAGNE, in quarts and pints. Gaspar Testulat's CHAMPAGNE, in qts. Perrier Jouet's CHAMPAGNE. Jules Mumm

Adolph Collins Bouzy MOUSSEUX, CABINET. Due de Montebello CORDON, in quart and pints. Sparkling HOCK. After Dinner CLARET, in pints.

NOTICE.

Hongkong, July 25, 1868.

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LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co.

HE Undersigned being about to leave Hongkong, bega to notify that the whole of his valuable stock of WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELLERY,

FANCY GOODS. by the best London & Continental makers. willbe sold from this date at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. C. HOCHSTETTER. Hougkong, July 21, 1868.

FOR SALE. HE following WINES, &c., of superior quality in lots to suit purchasers :--Eugene Clicquot dry CHAMPAGNE in Pints and Quarts. Sillery Mousseux, OHAMPAGNE. Carte Noire. A. de Luze & Fils CLARETS, Pints and Villanyi CLARET, Quarts, CHABLIS. BURGUNDY. Liebfrauenmilch Josephdorfer Ausstieli, Rudesheimer.

Fleur de Moselle Superior Old PORT in I dozen cases. Superior dry Pale SHERRY in 1 and 3 dozen cases. Bass' ALE, Quarts and Pints. Barclay's STOUT, Quarts and Pinta. Hennessy BRANDY in 1 dozen cases. A. de Luze & Fils Brandy in 1 dozen

CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

FOR SALE. AA UNTZ'S YELLOW METAL 20 to 28 oz. and Nails. Apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

FOR SALE. DRINTING PAPER. HESSE & Co. Hongkong, June 19, 1868.

FOR SALE. LEST Keelung COAL. Apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1868.

EX "DUNMAIL," Etc. F IME JUICE, in 5 Gallon Jars. Guinness's STOUT in pints and quarts. Draught BEER in hogsheads and

kilderkins.

Kilderkins.

JUST RECEIVED.

White Trowsers DUCK. BOWRA & Co. Hongkong, June 11, 1868. FOR SALE. Ex " Chusan" and " Peter Denny," TARAUGHT BEER in Hogsheads and

Draught STOUT in half Hogsheads.

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, June 2, 1868. FOR SALE. Ex "ESTAFETTE" and other Arrivals. I ENUINE AVH GIN in red cases, 15 Genuine AVH GIN, in white bottles. Palm-tree Brand GIN, in 15 squares. Dutch CURACOA, in stone bottles. At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

FOR SALE Ex "MOBILE" and other late Arrivals. 100 BARRELS Hamburg Prime Mess 100 barrels Hamburg Prime Mess PORK. A well assorted Invoice of Hoth's Prime quality Russian ROPE, BOLTROPE, Seizing STUFF, HOUSELINE, MARLINE. LÖGLINES, Signal HALYARDS, SPUN. YARN, do. At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, May 22, 1868.

Hongkong, May 22, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex "BELTED WILL," "CHUSAN," đơ, đơ. Bass's ALE in hogsheads and kilderkins, Barolay's STOUT in hogsheads, Bass's AliE in bottle, quarts and pints, Guinness's STOUT in bottle, quarts and Hennessy's Pale Old BRANDY. Old Toni GIN. Dinner SHERRIES from \$6 unwards. Fine Old PORT. Ginger WINE, Ginger BRANDY and Orange BITTERS HAMS, CHEESE and OILMAN'S STORES. At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, May 22, 1868,

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Notices to Consignees. P. M. S. S. Co. "CHINA," FROM SAN FRANCISCO. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovehamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take imme-

diate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. GEO. F. BOWMAN,

Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.

Ex "Donnai," 7th January, 1868. 1 Case Paper. Ex " Donnai," 6th October.

J (in diamond) 52/76, 25 cases Arms. 1 case Woollens. М & С 209, 8 cases Dye Stuffs. P S 562/69, C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.

Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

re HE interest and responsibility of Mr 1 EDWARD FORD DUNCANSON and Mr WILLIAM HENRY GIBB in our Firm ceased on Soth June, Mr HENRY LOWCOCK, Defendant, whereby it was agreed that the Mr. James Muschame Vickons and Mr. ship Java (North-German barque) of seven ALEXANDER GEORGE WOOD, having been thousand two hundred piculs carrying capaadmitted as Partners therein on let July city should proceed from Hongkong to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, October 1, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Ma WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last.

Mr Tobias Pim, Mr William Nisber OLMSTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY ARE authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

NOTICE. 17/E have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDD! to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER. Salgon, December 20, 1867.

HAVE this day established myself as PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

ROM and after this date Mr George F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this

S. L. PHELPS, Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

NOTICE. TARRYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE. MR. J. MURRAY FORBES is autho-Ve rized to sign our name at Canton from

this date. RUSSELL & Co. China, February 15, 1868.

NOTICE. AIR. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.

AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. wit Legister Bublic Auction, on

TUESDAY the 13th instant, at Noon, at their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road Central,-An Invoice of Woollen Hosiery comprising men's grey and white Lambswool. Shetland, Brighton, Hastings and Scar-

boro' Lambswool, Shetland, striped worsted, heather Merino, heather striped and white striped half-hose, etc., etc., etc., An Invoice of patent Shot in 28 lb. bags assorted from No. 1 to No. 10, 100 boxes London yellow Soap each 28 lb., 1 case Cotton printed Handkerchiefs, 20 pieces fancy wool Flannels, 10 pieces English white Bunting, 20 cwt. black Paint, 10 drums of Turpentine, 5 casks bright Varnish, 50 barrels Stockholm Tar, 50 Loglines, 10 barrels English Split-peas, t cases refined Loaf Sugar, 30 bags new Gram, 50 Revolvers and Pouches (10 shooters with ammunition), 100 kegs FF English Powder, 50 Office Books assorted sizes, a quantity of Boots and Shoes. Ladies' and Gentlemen's felt Hats, Caps. travelling Bage, Gaiters, Ladies' Hats, Gloves, Belts, etc., etc., 10 casks Flour. 2 cases Sansages, 22 Westphalia Hams, 75 cases Candles, 50 casks Bass' Ale in qts., 20 casks Stout in qts., 12 cases assorted Liqueurs, 100 cases best Schiedam Gin in large bottles, and a quantity of preserved Provisions, etc.

AT 111 O'CLOCK A.M.,-(For account of whom it may concern.) , 200 pieces assorted China Figures. TERMS or SALE.—Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, October 10, 1868;

New Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Anction, on

MONDAY, the 12th October, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M. at Mesars Melchers & Co.'s Godowns. For account of whom it may concern. Ex "Edouard and Marie." VH 583 613) 6 Bales, each 15 pieces

584 615 or 40 yds. DUTCH 586 616 DRILLS. All more or less damaged by sea water.) TERMS OF SALE -Cash before delivery Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. Hongkong, October 10, 1868.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

YUE CHEONG, Plaintiff. Between

WILLIAM REYNVAAN, Defendant 11 TEREAS an Action has been commenced in this Court at the suit of the above named Yue Cheong, against the above named William Reynvan trading under the style or firm of Roynvaan Brothere and Company of Hongkong to recover the sum of Two thousand Five hundred Dollars, for money payable by the Defendant to the Flaintiff, for monies received by the Defendant for the use of the Plainti and for damages for the breach of a Charter party-made between the Plaintiff and the Yokohama with a full targo of lawful Merchandise which the said Plaintiff agreed to ship, and there deliver the same, Freight for the same being payable, Fifteen hundred Dollars at Hongkong, and the balance at Yokohama after delivery of the said Cargo at the rate of Thirty-eight cents per picul, (certain perils and casualties in the said Charter party mentioned only excepted, and all conditions were fulfilled and al times elapsed necessary to entitle the Plain tiff to have the said Charter party fulfilled and performed by the Defendant on his part yet the ship did not proceed from Hong kong to Yokohama, and the Defendant could not and did not perform his said Agreement and it being alleged that the said Willian Reynvaan does not reside within this island or its dependencies, a writ of Foreign attachment has been issued, returnable on the Nineteenth Day of October instant, wherein Roelof Arnhold Tollins Glusenkamp, Assistant in the said firm of Reynvaan Brothers and Company, and Collinson, Master of the British barque Leen fa are Garnishees.

Notice is hereby given thereof, and that if at any time before final judgment in this action; the said William Reynvaan or any person on his behalf will give the security and notice and file the appearance or plea required by the Ordinance of this Island intituled "An Ordinance to provide for and regulate process in Actions at Law against persons absent from the Colony, the said Attachment may be dissolved. Dated this Third day of October, 1868.

WM. GASKELL; Plaintiff's Altorney.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

N and after October 1st, the charge for Board to either resident or non-resident Boarders will be \$50 per month. By order of the Board of Directors. C. LANGDON DAVIES,

Hongkong, September 30, 1868,

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this

Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods Stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hungkong, September 28, 1868.

COALS HE Undersigned are prepared to Coal * Steamers on the most reasonable terms from a Cargo of English Steam Coals now afloat in this Harbour or from fresh Welsh and Australian Coals in Store.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, September 22, 1868.

NOTICE.

LL Persons having claims against the A Estate of the late firm of DENT & Co. are requested to furnish particulars of the same to the Trustees, addressed to the care of Mr E. WHEELEY, Hongkong, on or before the 30th November, 1868, in order to participate in the first Dividend.

A. TURING, Trustees of Dent & V. KRESSER, Co.'s Estate. W. LEMANN. Hongkong, September 18, 1868.



NIOTICE is hereby given that on and IN after Monday, the 21st day of September, it has been ordered by the Governor in Council, under Section 18 of Ordinance No. 9 of 1867, that no European, American, Portuguese, Foreigner, or Individual not of Chinese, Indian, or Malay races, shall be admitted into any of the Li-

censed Play Houses in Hongkong. By Command, J. GARDINER AUSTIN, Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office,

Hongkong, September 14, 1868. YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAL DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight per cent. has been declared on the net

Premia contributed to the above Association for the Year ending 30th September, Policy holders will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to

the Undersigned. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkoig, September 8, 1868.

ARCHITECT, SURVEYOR, &c., 10, Queen's Road Central, (Over Mesers Mulling & Clauseun's.)

New Advertisements.

VICTORIA REGATTA CLUB.

Committee : The Hon, WM. KESWICK, Chairman, J. RICKETT, JET., Esq. RICHARD F. HAWKE, Esq. A. W. GLENNIE, L'sq.

A. McLeon, Esq., Hon. Secretary. DROGRAMME of the 15th Annual Meeting, 1868.

FIRST DAY, Tuesday, 10th November, 1868. FIRST RACE, I P.M - For Boats pulled by date. non-commissioned Officers and Men of any Regiment or Corps in Garrison. Distance, one mile. Prizes: first Boat \$25; second, \$10. Time for Cars.

Entrance fee, \$1. Officers can officiate as Coxswains if necessary. SECOND RACE, 1.30 P.M.—For Single Pair Sculling Loats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the GOLD CHALLENGE SCULLS to be won two years in succession b the same member, and a Cup valued \$25, presented by the CLUB. En-

trance fee. \$5. HIRD RACE, 2.30 P.M.—For Four cared Canton Cutters. Distance, one mile and-a-half, Prize: the Chairman's 21 Cup, value \$250. Entrance fee, \$10. OURTH RACE, 3 P.M.—For Men-of-war's Gigs. Distance, one mile. Prizes: first Boat, \$20; second, \$5.. Time for Oars. Entries received by R. F.

HAWKE, Esq., until noon on Monday, the 9th November. Entrance fee, \$1. FIFTH RACE, 3.50 P.M. - For Pair Oars and Two Pair Sculling Boats, Distance, one mile. Prize, the AMERICAN CUP. valued \$300, presented by the American Community. Entrance fee, \$5. IXTH RACE, 4 P.M.—For Cances. Distance, from the shore to the Flag-ship. and once round. Prize: the BROKER Cup, value \$50. Entrance fee. \$2.

SEVENTH RACE, 4:30 P.M.—For House Boats pulled by Chinamen, the bond fide crews of the Boats entered. Distance, one mile. Prizes: First Boat \$15; Second, \$5. Entrance fee, \$1. AILING RACE FOR AIL OPEN BOATS, Chinese excepted. Prizes: first Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Course to be spe-

cified hereafter. Entrance fee. \$2. HARBOUR YACHT RACE.—For all Yachts. Entrance fee, \$5.00. Particulars of course, &c., to be named hereafter.

SECOND DAY. Wednesday, 11th November, 1868. FIRST RACE, 1 P.M.—For Men of war's Cutters. Distance, one mile. First Boat, \$25; second, \$10. Entrance fee, \$1. Entries received by R. F. HAWKE, Esq., until noon on Monday. the 9th November. ECOND RACE, 1.30 P.M. -For Single Pair

Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize: the LADIES' PURSE, presented by the Ladies of Hongkong. Entance fee, \$5. IRD RACE, 2.30 P.M.—For Four-cared

Canton Cutters. Distance, one mile and-a-half. Prize: the PERTHSHIRE REGATTA CUP, value \$150, presented by the Officers of H. M. 73rd (Perthshire Regiment). The Winners of the Chairman's Cup excluded. Entrance

FOURTH RACE, 3 P.M.—For all Boats man ned by Europeans. Distance, one mile. Prizes : first Boat, \$25; second \$10. Time for Cars. Entries received by the Secretary until noon on Monda the 9th November. Entrance fee, \$1 FIFTH RACE, 3.30 P.M.—For Pair Oars and Two Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize, the BISNEE CUP. value \$100, presented by D. RUTTUN-

JEE, Esq. Winners of the American Cup excluded. Entrance fee, \$5. SIXTH RACE. 4 P.M.—For Boats pulled by non-commissioned Officers and Men of any Corps in Garrison. Distance, one mile. Time for oars. Prizes; first Boat, \$20; second, \$5. Winners of the first race first day excluded. Entrance fee. \$1.

SEVENTH RADE, 4.30 P.M.—For Single Pair Sculling Boats. Distance, one mile. Prize, the Kwong-Loone Cup, valued \$100, presented by C. D. KERR, Esq. Winners of any Single Pair Sculling Race in China or elsewhere excluded Entrance fee, \$5.

Eighth Race, 5 P.M.—For four-oared Canton Cutters. Distance, one mile. Prize, the JINKEE CUP, value \$150. presented by a Subscriber. Entrance

Sailing Race for Schooners and Cutters. Full particulars of Prize, Course, &c., will be duly announced. Ocean Race for Yachts. Prize, the Douglas Challenge Cup value \$500, to be won two years successively by the same Yacht, Full particulars of course, &c.,

will be duly announced. The above Programme is subject to any future alterations the Committee may find it necessary to make.

Weights, colors, and names of each Crew for Presentation Prizes for Rowing must be stated on entering Boats. All entries (not otherwise specified) must be made to the Hon. Secretary, on or before the 31st October, 1868.

The Races will commence each day at 1 P.M., and Tiffin will take place en board the Flag Ship each day after the Second

A. McLEOD, Hon, Secretary, . Victoria Regutta Club. novII

NOTICE. MAR. J. THOMSON begs to intimate that VIEWS OF HONGKONG, price \$25 :lu Views from Plates, 4 Small instantaneous Subjects from the DRAGON PROCESSION.

Hongkong, September 4, 1868.

THE Undersigned, Proprietor of the I newly resopened HOTEL D'EUROPE, begs to inform the Public that they will find every accommodation at the above Hotel at the most reasonable charges. Breakfast every morning at 11.80 A.M., and Dinner at 7.30 P.M.

BREAKFASTS and DINNERS supplied at Private Residences on reasonable terms. ICE, &c., always on hand. CHAS, FANNEGE. Hongkong, August 6, 1868,

New Advertisements:

HONGKONG AND WHAMPUA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the seventh call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st December next and will be payable at the office of the Honorong and Shanghai Banking Componintion, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Ma-

Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per annum will be changed after the above

By order of the Board of Directors, GEORGE N. MINTO, Secretary.

Hongkong, September 2, 1868. FOR SALE.

AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE. THE following SETS of the "CHINA I PUNCH" can be obtained, stitched in raper wrappers, at the rate of 25 cents

per copy viz :-deficient Also a few separate copies of Nos.1, 2, 3, 7, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, and from 19 to 24.

11HE Undersigned returns thanks for past favors and would remind the Gentlemen at Hongkong, that the most agreeable health inspiring treats obtainable, can be had at the Hongkong Rotel HAIR DRESSing Saloon. Constant moving punkah and shower of fragrant odour, which render the

NOTICE.

body cool and comfortable. Hair Cutting, \$0.75. Shampooing, 0.50. Shaving,... Rair cutting and Shampooing, 1.00.

Tonsorial Artist. Hongkong, August 29, 1868. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHULDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the halfvear ended 30th June last, at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum, say \$7.50 Share on which \$25 have been paid, is pay- be as follows, viz :-able at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for

By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER. Chief Manager, Hongkong, August 13, 1868.

PORT OF AMOY.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. THE BUOYS marking the Dangers in the Harbour of Amoy have been painted according to the Rule in use by the British Admiralty and Trinity Board, viz : to mark the Starboard side of Channels entering by Black or Red Buoys only. The Port side of Channels entering by Black or Red Buoys Chequered or vertically striped with White, and Middle Grounds by horizontally

KELLET SPIT .- North end formerly marked by a striped Buoy, is now marked by a Red Buoy... COKER ROCKS—formerly marked by

a Red Buoy are now marked by a vertically striped Red and White Bucy. This Buoy has been placed about 20 fathoms to the E.S. E. of the shoalest patch, in order to guard Vessels against Ledges of Rock, with 15 feet water, found to exist in that direction, and it may be passed close to on the Port Hand when entering the Harbour. The shoalest patch or pinnacle of the Coker Rocks, has a floating Beacon on it until NEW ROCK-in North part of Har-

horizontally striped Buoys. In case any of these Buoys are lost or moved, the position will as soon as possible be marked by a Flag boat or floating JAMES JONES,

Clark in Charge. Office of Marine Customs. Amoy, August 13, 1868.

SAYLE & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE. NVITE inspection of their New and well assorted summer Stock of Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS.

Naval and Military CLOTHS. Light Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS, Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS.

Plain and Fancy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c. Quilting and Marseilla VESTINGS. The Tailoring Department under

lish Cutters. TIES and SCARFS in great variety. The new Shapes in Gentlemen's COLLARS. Long Cloth, Silk and Wool SHIRTS. PAJAMAS.

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IVI he is now publishing a Series of 40 Gauza, Mering and Silk UNDERVESTS HOSIERY of all kinds. Gentlemen's Straw and Felt HATS in Various Shapes. Household LINENS of every description. A large Stock of French Printed MUSLINS of the Latest Patterns.

French Printed CAMBRICS.

Black GLACES, Plain and Fancy

Silk GAUZES. Grenadines and other New Fabrics Embroidered, Printed and Made-up SKIRTS. CRINOLINES Muslin EMBROIDERIES and LACES of all descriptions. Ladies' Trimmed HATS and BONNETS. FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c. Ladies' and Childrens' UNDER-CLOTHING.

Ladies' Cotton and Lisle HOSIERY. LISLE and Silk GLOVES, &c. Lace and Muslin CURTAINS. Hongkong, April 27, 1868.

WHAMPOA SHIPPING.

Oct. 7. Princess of Wales, from Hongkong.

From the Canton Customs Daily Returns.) Per Merida, loading for New York :--375 packages Fire Crackers. 530 rolls Matting. 400 cases Cassia. 25 cases Cassia Oil 25 cases Anisced Oil.

25 cases Camphor. 50 boxes Vermilion. 100 cases Straw Hats. 288 cases Fans. 182 boxes Gunpowder Tea. 47 packages Sundries. Per Corea, loading for London:-

25 cases Preserves.

25 packages Canes.

53 packages Sundries.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS WILL CLOSE:-

50 sets Camphor-Wood Trunks.

For SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CAL OUTTA,--Per "GLENGYLE," on Tuesday, the 20th instant, at 1 P.M. For YOKOHAMA, SAN FRANCISCO, & the U.S. of AMERICA generally,-Per the P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steam-ship

"CHINA," at 2 o'clock P.M., on Thursday, the 15th instant. correspondence intended to be forwarded by this opportunity must be superscribed per "CHINA." The postage must be prepaid as follows: FOR A LETTER.

Under bounce, Above & ounce and not exceeding 1 ounce, . . . 16 Above I ounce and not exceeding 15 ounce, . . . 24 Above 11 ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces, 32 For every ad'tional 4 ounce, 8 Newspapers or Prices Current, 2 cents

ed, correspondence forwarded as above will be delivered free at the places of its F. W. MITCHELL

Under the convention recently conclud-

Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hougkong, October 7, 1868.

T is hereby notified for general information that henceforward the Postage chargeable on Book and Packets of Patterns addressed to the United States of America per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per transmitted via the United Kingdom will

Via Southampton. Under 4 ounce. - - - 12 cents. Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, - - - 24 ,, Above 8 ounce and not exceeding 12 ounce, - - - 36 Above 12 ounce and not exceeding 16 ounces, - - 48 For every additional 4 oz., 12 Via Mauseilles. Under 4 ounce, - - - - 16 cents. Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, - - - 32 Above 8 ounce and not ex-

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General Post Office,

For every additional 4 oz., 16 Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

Hongkong, June 18, 1868. IT is hereby notified that, under the provisions of a Treasury Warrant dated the 7th May, the Postage on a Letter not exceeding half-an-ounce in weight posted in Hongkong or at any of the Ports in China and Japan addressed to Egypt, or posted in Egypt addressed to Hongkong or January next. We believe that no any of the Ports in China and Japan, and conveyed in the Mails by British Packet, is

For Letters exceeding half-an-ounce weight a further rate of Twelve Cents for each half ounce is chargeable. Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory. F. W. MITCHELL,

 $.Postmuster\ General:$ General Post Office, Hongkong, July 15, 1868.

QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong, 10th October, 1868.

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RELIGIOUS SERVICES ON SUNDAYS IN HONGKONG. ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL .- Morning, 11 o'clock.-Rev. W. R. Beach, M.A. After. noon 4 o'clock .- Rev. W. R: Beach, M.A.

Union Church.—Minister, Rev. D. B. Morris. Morning Service, 11 A.M. ; Even. ing, 6.30 p.m. ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION CHAPEL. -(Ser.

vice in Chinese.) Morning 10 o'clock. Ray. Lo Sam Yuen. Afternoon 3 o'clock. —The same. ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL. - Welling. ton Street. Very Rev. T. Raimondi, P. P

Ap. In the morning, at 5.30, 1st Mass : 6, 2nd Mass; 6.30, Service in English, by the Rev. T. Burghignoli; 7, 3rd Mass 8. High Mass with Sermon in Portuguese 9.30, Last Mass. In the afternoon, at 1 Sermon in Chinese by the Rev. S. Chu; at 5.30, Sermon in Portuguese; 6, Benedic-

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER'S CHAPEL. - Spring Gardens. In the morning, at 7, Mass with Sermon in Chinese, by the Rev. F. Yaw. At the Roman Catholic Reformatory. West Point, Rev. B. Vigano. Service at

BERLIN FOUNDLING HOUSE. -Service in the German language, by Pastor E. Klitzke. on every Sunday, at half past ten A.M., in the Chapel of the Berlin Foundling House. SAILOR'S HOME. - Evening Service, at 6 P.M.—Rev. John Kyle.

CHRISTADELPHIAN SYNAGUGUE. - Queen's Road (East). Service at 4 P.M. every

& QUERIES

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October 9, at Macao, the Wife of Thomas THOMAS, of a son (still-born.) At 2, Castle Road, on the 9th October, ANNE, the beloved Wife of the Honorable

THE CHINA MAIL.

The funeral will take place at 5 P.M.,

John Smale, Chief Justice.

To-morrow, the 11th instant.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, OCT. 10, 1868.

PRINCE ALFRED'S VISIT.

THE Indian papers inform us that

"official" intimation has been received

of the visit of the Duke of Edinburgh to

that empire, probably in the month of despatch of a similar nature has as yet bour, and Brown's Rock are marked by reduced from Twenty-four Cents to Twelve reached Hongkong, although, as the wellinformed Home and Indian journals are unanimous in stating that Hongkong will be visited during his tour, we may presume that His Excellency will shortly be notified. Assuming that the Galatea visits this and the other ports of China, we have a remarkably wide field of speculation opened to us in guessing the reception which will be accorded to His Royal Highness. Will the colonists of residents go into fits of exuberant loyalty? Will China-town outdo itself in lanterns and crackers and in creating a "Tomasha?" Will ball invitations be at a premium, and the ladies honoured by the royal hand in the valse or qua. drille be envied for their good fortune amidst the disparaging comments of less happy rivals? Or will the semi-pulseless foreign communities of China take the visit as a most ordinary and unimportant event and scorn to let the blood beat a second quicker or to unbend from the don't-care-a-bit-ativeness which it is the peculiar privilege of the China merchant to display upon such occasions? It is really very difficult to say. The honours accorded to the Royal visitor in Australia have tended to raise a somewhat supercilious smile at the tremendous gush of loyalty with which his advent was hailed-especially in parts of the world which it was not expected he would visit; and Englishmen are nerve ously sensitive, with all their loyalty, to being thought unable to keep their heads clear in the presence of rank Once start them off and they vie with the impetuous peoples of Southern Europe but, the excitement over, they feel a tinge of shame that they should have been betrayed into the exhibition of an emotion to which the whole course of English

training is opposed. We have no doubt

that many Australians are amongst the

chief of those who have ridiculed the

are national characteris while a smile may be rai there is no need to carry t an admission that the k might have been exces certainly based on a fee more than most other nat But as regards Hough fear that there will be an display. Without castin tion whatever upon the Colonists, we confess to a are not given to much There is, it is true, no pol whatever to be gained visit to this Colony, exbringing its name into gree than it has hitherto e columns of English new three thousand foreign re likely to entertain a great ing of affection for either the colony as a result result undoubtedly atta Duke's visits to the We Australia. But for the attention shewn to His I will have the merit of per edness, and as the son o we trust he will receive come. In most communiwell to enter a prote against flunkeyism; but necessary here where its able form-obtrusive civi likely to be exhibited. urge that, when his into notified, some steps be ta deration towards shewing representative of our Re are gratified by the visit kong did not choose to co Majesty upon his escape tion, has not led the h believe that we take m the fortunes of the reignu motive for omitting any loyalty may have been s to appear "flunkey-like," cousins are so fond of cal our opinion it might have regarded. At least, a co should evince that our p for Her Majesty has a

> official to whose efforts their is mainly owing. Upon Post-office as to the part first mail carrying money. that a large number (betw were sent, and that the these was unusually the demand for orders pe steady. Taking any giv money orders at home the: all round is somewhere a lings, or rather under that orders taken here give over Five pounds,—a son able difference between tries and which people statistics will be able to trative of the vast incre wealth to be gained by China Joking aside, ment works very well, so learn, and it remains to b the intra-portal money will be as much availed tween Hongkong and predict for it even great that accorded to the home an undoubted success.

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ERVICES ON SUNDAYS IONGKONG. ATHEURAL -- Morning, 11 R. Beach, M.A. After-Rev. W. R. Beach, M.A. H.-Minister, Rev. D. B g Service, 11 A.M.; Even-

Mission Chapel. -(Ser-) Morning 10 o'clock ien. Afternoon 3 o'clock.

LIC CATHEDRAL - Welling Rev. T. Raimondi, P. P rning, at 5.30, 1st Mass : 30, Service in English, by erghignoli ; 7, 3ru Mass Ath Sermon in Portuguese; In the afternoon, at 1 se by the Rev. S. Chu ; at Portuguese; 6, Benedic-

KAVIER'S CHAPEL -Spring e morning, at 7, Mass with se, by the Rev. F. Yaw. m Catholic Reformatory, v. B. Vigano. Service at

LING HOUSE. -Service in nage, by Pastor E. Klitzke. at half-past ten A.M., in e Berlin Foundling House.

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TURDAY, OCT. 10, 1868.

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who have ridiculed the

reception festivities in which they took They may comfort themselves with a belief that both the excitement displayed and the subsequent reaction are national characteristics, and that while a smile may be raised at the one there is no need to carry the other beyond

might have been excessive, but was certainly based on a feeling which we more than most other nations respect. But as regards Hongkong, we do not fear that there will be an excess of loyal Without casting any imputation whatever upon the loyalty of the Colonists, we confess to a belief that they are not given to much demonstration. There is, it is true, no political advantage whatever to be gained by the Duke's visit to this Colony, except it be the bringing its name into greater prominence than it has litherto enjoyed in the columns of English newspapers. three thousand foreign residents are not likely to entertain a greater or less feeling of affection for either the crown or the colony as a result of the visit—a result undoubtedly attained by the Duke's visits to the West Indies and Australia. But for that reason any attention shewn to His Royal Highness will have the merit of perfect disinterestedness, and as the son of Her Majesty, come. In most communities it would be necessary here where its most objectionable form—obtrusive civility—is hardly likely to be exhibited. Rather need we urge that, when his intended arrival is notified, some steps be taken into consideration towards shewing that as he is representative of our Royal family, we are gratified by the visit. That Hongkong did not choose to congratulate Her Majesty upon his escape from assassination, has not led the home public to believe that we take much interest in the fortunes of the reigning House. The motive for omitting any such display of lovalty may have been sound—a dislike to appear "flunkey-like," as our American cousins are so fond of calling it-but in our opinion it might have safely been disregarded. At least, a cordial reception should evince that our personal respect for Her Majesty has not diminished, owing to our residence in this the most

THE new Post-office Order Regulations seem to have been availed of to an extent scarcely hoped for by the energetic official to whose efforts their promulgation is mainly owing. Upon enquiry at the Post-office as to the particulars of the first mail carrying money orders we learn that a large number (between 30 and 40) were sent, and that the value average of these was unusually high. Moreover the demand for orders per next mail is steady. Taking any given number of money orders at home the average amount all round is somewhere about five shillings, or rather under that amount. The orders taken here give an average of over Five pounds,—a somewhat remarkable difference between the two countries and which people given to such statistics will be able to cite as illustrative of the vast increase in personal wealth to be gained by coming out to China. Joking aside, the new experiment works very well, so far as we can learn, and it remains to be seen whether the intra-portal money order business will be as much availed of as that between Hongkong and England. predict for it even greater favour than that accorded to the home line, which is an undoubted success.

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crown.

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It is unlikely that any one would question the correctness of His Excellency the Go vernor's remarks upon the present status of the police officers of our Colonial force, or the sound policy pursued by Sir Richard in refusing to raise the pay to that scale which would be both justifiable and desirable towards a higher class of men. The Colony has not been peculiarly fortunate in the importation of sergeants from Scotland Yard last year, although two or three of the half-dozen men who arrived have budded and blossomed into very steady, repectable inspectors, and are now in charge of various stations in and around the City. Two of the sergeants, however, have more than once laid themselves open to com plaint by means of a too free use of drinks stronger than water, and this objectionable feature in the new inspectorate appears to have come to a climax within the last day Inspector Shead was the other day placed under arrest, and a complaint against him forwarded to H. E. the Gov ernor; which has, we understand, resulted in that iuspector's dismissal. Again, last night, Inspector Ryan (another of the English sergeants) was successful in getting drunk while on duty, and Mr Deane has suspended him in consequence, pending a reference to His Excellency. So that there is every probability of the Colony being rid of two more of the least suitable persons referred to by the Governor in his recent financial statement. A better class, it

A PRIVATE in the 73rd Regiment distinguished himself at the Police Station this forencon. It is said that he has been absent from Barracka for three days, and for what reason he presented himself in this beighbourhood is not known. At any rate, he commenced by knocking down a Gaol himkey and insulting Mr Douglas, the Gaol Superintendent, at the prison door. On being taken to the Charge Room, he struck at everybody and would not submit to the Powers that be with any grace until be was compelled, and carried bodily, into a cell, A mossage sent to the Barracks resulted in got him handcuffed, but just as they were getting hold of him he slipped and gave a constable standing by a severe " double fister" in the mouth. He was then secured And fomoved to Barrnoks.

to be hoped, will succeed those dismissed.

TO-DAY'S POLICE. The summons against Andrew Albert keeper of the Union Tavern, brought by Mr Superintendent Deane, in which defendant is charged with keeping a disorderly house and harboring a police constable on duty. was heard before Mr May this morning. Mr Brereton (on Mr Caldwell's behalf) an an admission that the loyalty displayed peared for the defendant.—Sikh P. C. deposed that, about three nights ago, he was on duty in the Queen's Road West, and heard a whistle blown. On going in the direction of the sound, he saw Sergeant Hawes and Cooper and a number of Europeans, engaged in, or in quelling, a disturbance. P. C. Pickford (52) was also there he was drunk, was bleeding, and was ultimately taken to the Station. Some of the Europeans (seamen) were drunk.—Sergeaut Cooper stated that he followed the same sound of the whistle in time to see four or five men-of-war sailors on the top of P. C. Pickford, abusing him "awful bad." This was under the lower street-verandah be tween the Victoria Tavern and the Union (defendant's) public house; from which of the two the disturbance began he could not say. P. C. 52 was bleeding from the nose, but was not in his uniform coat, though his shirt was torn and bloody. Cooper as sisted Sergeant Hawes in quelling the disturbance. In reply to Mr Brereton, this witness said that he did not see where the seamen came from, and gave it as his on nion that the men-of-war's men were very drunk, but were only in nice fighting trim. Pickford had a large buttle of qui we trust he will receive a fitting wel. Hospital.—Sergeant Hawes was next examined. He said that he went, a little after well to enter a protest before hand 7 P.M. on the 7th, to the Union Tayern to against flunkevism; but that is scarcely get his dinner; he had taken his dinner | plied Mr Caldwell's informant with the in- the integrity of their countrymen being there for several days previously. Although in uniform and on duty, he had received permission from the Inspector on duty (Grimes) for the purpose of going to dinner. -[Here a little passage of arms took place between witness and the Inspector in question. Mr Deane, who conducted the prosecution, asked what inspector he meant when witness said he meant Inspector Grimes. Inspector: I never gave you leave to go to a public-house. Witness: Yes, told you what house I was going to. spector : No, you didn't. Witness : Yes. I did : and I told Mr Albert so when went there. Sergeant Cooper will also tes tify to that. |-The Sergeant's evidence was continued. He said that he dined upstairs, and on coming down stairs he heard a great row next door, in the Victoria Tavern which became worse and worse, and he then blew his whistle. There were several seamen in the row, and P. C. Pickford was on the pathway and, apparently the centre of the row: the constable Pickford was drunk, was making a noise, had no coat or cap, and was bleeding from the nose. He entered defendant's house, and defendant asked him (witness) to put Pickford out of his house; which witness at once did; and as the constable struggled considerably while doing so, his shirt was torn and he was knocked against the sideboard. There was no disturbance in the defendant's house before Pickford went into the place; and he (witness) saw nothing of Pickford before going upstairs to dinner. In reply to Mr Brereton, Hawes said that he had been boarding about ten days at the Union, and so far as he knew the house had been very well kept and very orderly. -Inspector Kirby, who had gone down with Fickford to inquire into the assault on the constable, stated that the defendant

explained clearly enough that the quarrel arose by Pickford's coming in with some seamen and fighting and quarelling with them .-- Mr Brereton contended that, so far as the evidence was concerned, there was nothing to convict the defendant -Mr Deane submitted that defendant had been warned of this probability before the license was granted; and now he found that the house was the cause of the demoralization of his officers. One inspector had been dismissed yesterday for drunkenness, and another would be dismissed to-day for the same offence; while he learned that his sergeants were continually being harbored and were at dinner in defendant's publichouse, instead of being on duty. Defendant must have known that Pickford was on duty, as he had his staff. -Mr Brereton suggested that it was perfectly natural that the constables should frequent defendant's house, seeing that defendant had been in the force and was well-known by the constables; but still there was no reason for alleging that defendant's house was the "the rice" was therefore a necessary ele-

cause of drunkenness in the Police Force The inspectors and others would find places from which to get liquor other than the Union Tavern; and the house of defendant was a boarding house as well as a tavern. The constable's baton was the only sign | OUR Cauton correspondent writes :- It that a constable was on duty, and Pickford | would appear from the proclamation issued did as the others generally did, resorted to by the two high officials anent the opiumthe expedient of shoving his baton up be- | boiling establishment |at Whampon, that hind his jacket. In London the consta- an attempt has been made by those interestbles on duty wore an armlet, but frequent- | ed in the California trade, to obtain, through ly even removed that. Of course, Sergeant | the influence of the French Cousul, the

likely to know this than the defendant, who

fendant to take greater care for the future. Mr May this morning in form of a sum- and others against sninggling into Canton mons, in which a Chinese doctor named from Whampon any boiled opium. Taking regards Government vessels, it must be ad-Ng Tin Chee charges Tseang Yuk Chuen, a a broad view of the case, this permission of mitted that the flying of their pennants trader residing in Bouham Strand, with boiling opium at Whampon free of the above is sufficient to entitle them to the having, "on the 26th Sept. last past at Lekim tax and tariff duty, must operate "maritime courtesy," particularly in the nese newspaper called Hongkong Choong dual who has paid a high figure for the Two Kwangs, for whom as well as other Ngoi Sun Mun, No. 1699, a false, scandalous, opium-farm in your Colony. If such a pri- "Governors and Magistrates who bear rule defamatory and malicious libel calculated to bring the plaintiff into hatred and con- how can it be withheld from the subjects China," prayers are offered up in our churtempt, and to lead to a breach of the public peace." It appears that the libel, as alleged, consisted of an advertisement inserted in the face? Consequently, Whampon bids in the Daily Press Chinese sheet by defendant, in which he renounced his responsible for if such an exemption from duties, as that the arrival of a corporal and two men, who lity for any debts incurred by a decensed stated above, be conceded with regard to brother of plaintiff while that brother was one article, why should it not be extended alive and in partnership with the defende to other articles as well?

THE CHINA MAIL. referred to .- Mr Toller appeared for de- remembered that this little boat (now the mans do," is a trite saying, consequently | to some twenty distinct processes before it case was adjourned until Wednesday, by skipper of the name of Ricaby, who reprethe mutual consent of the parties.

absent from his duty.

cards, and a few counters. "Pow-tsz" shop, and stated that he had played there thank his stars that it has been destined for several times, had lost money, and had Mr Consul King to settle this longstanding seen the "Pow-tsz" whirled by the 10th matter, in whom the Celestial has an imdefendant. He was there last night, and partial administrator of justice. The estate saw about twenty people gambling. The is expected to pay a dividend of over seve

but the defendants never accused him of taking the Pow-tsz into the room. -The | Pearl River. It will be observed that if the Magistrate here observed that the defendants very strongly and persistently averred that the witness had done so, and Dean then gave most important evi- the third quarter, which ended on the 30th seen Tsak Hoy Chow, the last witness, run | scribed nature of the traffic becomes at once up-stairs with a mat in his hand, and when he got up into the room he threw down the mat and pretended to scramble and gather up the cash he had dropped. This brilliant detective was then given into custody by the witness. -In the defence of the defendants, it was shown that this "sharp" informer was totally unknown to the coolies frequenting the house in question, and that he was seen to come rushing up into the room and snatch a sleeping mat from one

Police, the Pow-tsz was not found. He had

given evidence in a similar case at Wanchi.

of the coolie's beds with which he proceeded to enact the wicked burlesque above alluded to. To this statement was added the evidence of the keeper of this licensed coolie-house, who produced the license, identified the coolies, denied all knowledge of the witness Tsak-Hoy-Chow, and stated that he never saw the Pow-tsz twirled in his house.-Mr May then directed Tsak Hoy Chow to take the place of defendant, spoke strongly upon his conduct. He said that he was a black-hearted man, and had given false evidence in a previous case. At that time he (the Magistrate) had suspected him, cautioned him, and was on the eve of punishing him; but he had let him off then. Now, again, he had endeavoured to get innocent men into trouble by giving false evidence. He was a fool, but

was even far more wicked than foolish, and he would have to be deverely punished in order that such wickedness should be put a stop to: He would therefore order Tsak Hoy Chow to pay a fine of \$24, and in addition \$2 each to the thirteen defendants (equal \$26); or, in default, three months' hard labour.—Tsak Hoy Chow, on hearing this sentence, remarked in a careless way, "If you have no rice, how can you get 30th September:boiled rice;" which may have two meanings in this case. He may have meant, as to the fine, something akin to "You canna tak the breeks aff a Hielanman "or, as to his story, that there must be some ground on which to invent his story, and that

ment of the "boiled rice." Teak Hoy

Chow must be regarded as an acquisition to

the inner Gaol Department.

Hawes, while on leave for dinner, was not exemption from Lekim tax and the taxiff on duty; and he contended that there was duty, of any opium which may be imported no proof whatever to justify a conviction. for the purpose of boiling in the western -Mr May said that it was a matter of fact | suburhs. The plea put forward for such an that Hawes was not on duty while at din- exemption being that the opium imported ner; and that he, though a witness for the by the said individual, Hop Loong, is exprosecution, gave the house a good charactor pressly for re-exportation after boiling, ter, and spoke of the disturbance having and of which the Sheong-yen Possmoon, taken place in the neighboring tavern. He who, according to the reading of the prowould therefore dismiss the case. But clamation, is presumed to be a Frenchman, there was always a certain amount of deco- is the reported owner. The authorities, rous conduct supposed to be observed by a however, were not disposed to introduce police constable, and it was not therefore such a precedent as that sought for in the at all desirable that constables should be above-mentioned movement as regards an allowed to take their meals at public hou- exemption from the duties of any articles ses, because such a practice tended to do | that may be imported pro tem into this port; away with all law. None should be more | but seem nevertheless to have countenanced, according to the reading of the proclamahad himself been in the Police force, and tion, the boiling of opium at Whampon for who well knew the position which should re-exportation thence. But in the meanbe occupied by the constables who came to | while they seem to have resorted to the exhis house. He therefore warned the de- | pedient of making the fact publicly known, and to warn the Hop Loong shop against im-A miniature libel case was brought before | porting any more opium on such a pretext, Victoria, unlawfully published in the Chi- seriously against the interest of the judivi-

of other nations when the favored-nation clause in the Treaty stares the authorities

sented himself to have been the owner of The wild Sikh, Gunes Asingh, (P. C. the craft in order to obtain the American 313) was brought up on remand to-day, and flag for her. But in truth he must have fined in the sum of \$20, or in default four- owned a very small portion, if any at all. teen days' hard labour, for having been in her proprietary—it having been a Chi- Captain Marcy has been superseded by his has been combed and washed, and in many nese merchant of respectable standing who ANOTHER GAMBLING MISTAKE. Thirteen | owned her principally if not wholly. The coolies were crammed into the dock on the little boat was employed on the river as a complaint of P. C. Sergeant Wilkinson, night conveyance, and during her last and charged with having been found gam. downward trip, which was in April 1861, bling in a house in Wing-On Lane last when opposite the First Bar Pagoda, a night. It seems that, upon information number of pirates, who went on board her furnished by Mr Caldwell, a party of Police, in disguise as passengers to Hongkong, ander the aforesaid Sergeant, made a raid threw off the mask, attacked and wounded on the house last night about 9 p. m. | the only two Europeans who were on board Vilkinson alleges that there were only two |-Ricaby and his mate—and threw them men sitting at a table, one of whom was overboard in an exhausted state, which the writing and the other was reading; and pools of blood on the gangways indicated that all the others were lying on bed- must have been the case. Of the motive poards. There was no confusion whatever and perpetrators of this tragedy nothing when the Police entered, and no one has been elicited up to this day, although a escaped. One of Mr Caldwell's informants | reward was offered by the American Consul was identified in this presumed gambling- for that purpose, who in the meanwhile shop, and was released. All the others took possession of the steamer as American were removed to the Station and charged. property, which was brought back to this The only gambling implements found were place from where the tragedy was perpea mat, about a hundred cash, a dozen trated, by the Chinese crew. Those who have known Ricaby can hardly doubt that was the game supposed to be practised. | the Celestial, Tung Akai, was the bona fide -This statement was in the main cor- owner of the craft, and his only fault in the roborated by a lokong, who added that matter has been his over-confidence in the the house appeared to him to be a coolie- integrity of Ricaby, so much as to hold no house, that there were no implements legal document from him with the excepin the place to play "Fan-tan," and tion of a scrip with no more than two lines that there were no indications of the written upon it. While on the other hand existence of a secret gambling-house,- the American authorities should overlook

-Tsak Hoy Chow (the informant who sup- technicalities and be proud of the fact of formation of the existence of this supposed held in such high estimation by the Celes-"hell,") was mext examined. He tials as to dispense with the necessary proof declared the house to be a regular gambling of I. O. U. But Tung Akai will have to play had ceased by the time the Police ar- ty per cent., the best dividend that has ye rived, because the watchman had given the | been known to have been declared in this alarm; and on his going upstairs with the part of the world. The subjoined two statements will give

some idea of the nature of one department of the Steam-boat Company's trade on the quantities of some articles have decreased. those of other articles have increased, when comparing the totals of the first and second quarters of the present year with those He deposed to having actually September last; consequently the circumapparent, which seems not to have occurred to the wise men when they made an investment of seven and a half lakhs of dollars in a trade doomed to non-expansion.

Imported per H .. C. and M. Steam-boat Company's Steamers.

Totals for the Quarter from 1st Ju 30th September:—	ıly to
Cotton Yarn, ,, Lead, pigs Tin, slabs	8,394 1,400 3,283 188
Quicksilver,	467 254 210
Sundries, packages Cotton Goods, cases and bales Woollen Goods,, Ginseng (American), casks	8,250 1,539 452 175
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30th June:—	unary to
Cotton, bales	54,387
Cotton Yarn,	5,629
Lead, pigs	6,944
Tin,slabs	567
Quicksilver flasks	1,267
Nail Rod Iron, piculs	-,,
Opium, chests	216
Sundries, packages	.13.904
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Woollen Goods,,	*
Ginseng (American), casks	⁻ } +, :

Exported per H., C. and M. Steam-boat Company's Steamers.

Totals for the Quarter from 1st July to

Fine Silk, cases and bale	8
Silk Piece Goods,	.•
Publum,	
Cocoons,	
Preserves, boxes	
Fire Crackers, tons	
Matting, rolls	
Glass Bangles, cases	
Tea,tons	
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'The fact of the American river steamers keeping the British flag (discourteously) flying now all the way up or down, confirms the correctness of the view taken of the flag-squabble between the two skippers, by the unbiassed individuals on this side of the Bogue. When Britons commanded the river steamers, they were not known to be guilty of the maritime discourtesy (if such an expression be allowed) of showing no colors when passing a squarerigged craft, steam or sail vessel, on the Pearl River, which had her flag up. Bu when American shipmasters and stars and stripes apperseded, such "maritime courtesy" was almost entirely lost sight of. As case of the squadron of the Viceroy of the vilege is granted to a subject of a nation, under the authority of the Emperor of ches now-a days. Surely when we go to such an extent as this, it will savour of uncharitableness at least, if we do not do fair to become a place of some importance, honour to whom honour is due. "When

* The Customs Daily Returns being made up in an undesirable manner prior to July, the ant; and a word bearing the interpretation | It is stated that the seven years' standing details of these three articles were impossible to of "rogue" is also said to be applied by affair in re river steamer Meelee, is at last take down accurately, and are therefore included defendant to plaintiff, in the advertisement to be brought to a settlement. It will be under the head of "Eundries,"

fendant, and Mr Brereton (for Mr Caldwell) Cricket in the North) was built here at when the American shipmasters are ap- is offered for sale. Long massive tresses appeared on the plaintiff's behalf. The Fatee under the supervision of an American pointed to command British vessels, they are taken out of the sack and spread on

must do what the Britons are wont to do. we totally differ from his view of the Kinthe view above given.]

CORRESPONDENCE.

A QUESTION.

To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL," Hongkong, 10th October, 1868.

Sir, - How important it is, Sir, that the staff which composes our Police, especially the Constables and Inspectors in charge of each Station, should be alike honest and equitable in their respective duties, whether they be friends to persons committing offences, or not. It is on their evidence alone offenders handed over to their charge at night stand guilty or otherwise the next morning before the Magistrates for fights, disturbances, drunkenness, &c., &c. On Saturday last an Inspector of gam bling houses, given in charge of the Police

for beating a Chinese woman in a Public Street while in a state of intoxication. would have entirely escaped the penalty of the law by the statement of Mr Grimes, but for the Petition presented to his Worship by the neighbours anent the disturbance which your contemporary's Scholastic Reporter has been pleased to find fault with as to its grammatical errors, the slight nature of which, I hope, may be readily pardoned in Natives.

May I be permitted through the medium of your journal to ask Inspector Grimes if the offender in question, while in his custody was at all sober, as he appears to have stated before the Magistrate, and if so. which I for one emphatically deny, did he ever observe a man in his sober senses quarrelling in a Public Road and having no vestige of his native dress on him, but only partially clad in Chinese Garments? Yours Faithfully.

E.S.L. FROM HALIFAX TO SAN FRANCISCO.

from Liverpool to China. An "Interna-

Commercial men have been for some time

tional Commercial Convention" was called promote a plan for direct railway communication from Halifax to San Francisco. The proposed line, according to the New York Commercial Advertiser, will run through States and Provinces as follows: Nova Scotia 134 miles, New Brunswick 214, Maine 286, New Hampshire 84, Vermont 66, New York 352, Canada 230, Michigan 219, Indiana 52. Illinois 13, and we are at Chicagoshortened 50 miles by extending a line due West from Portland to Whitehall, and

thence to Rome on the line of the New York Central. This line is to be opened, if possible, simultaneously with the completion of the Union and Central Pacific Railway. There is little doubt that a direct line of railway will be opened between Portland and Chicago, and such a project only indicates the sharp struggle which is to be made for the advantages of the Continental road. The points of intersection after leaving Halifax, are to be Portland, Rutland, Buffalo, Detroit and Chicago, would be the short route between Liverpool and Hongkong; but it is an easier thing to mark it down on paper than to divert

freight and passenger traffic from New York. There is likely, however, to be a strong combination of Eastern and English capital to effect, if possible, such a result. Probably the time between Hongkong and Liverpool or Southampton, would be shortened by this route not less than two days. The harbors of Portland and Halifax are never so obstructed by ice in winter that ships cannot enter at all times. It is not easy, with all the apparent advantages of time, to make headway against the vast interests which centre in such a commercial capital as New York. The railway kings are there, and sometimes they turn out to be giant killers, especially of rival enterprises.—Bulletin.

THE ARTIFICIAL HAIR TRADE. The statistics of the false hair trade 1.089 furnish curious evidence of the increased 782 and increasing artificiality of the age. Male 647 | wigs have gone out of fashion, and it is the 3.784 enormous quantities of false hair used by 20 | ladies which have caused the vast rise in its 8.542 price. This has gone up 400 per cent, within the last dozen years, while four times as Totals for half-year from 1st January to much is used now as at that period. Sixteen times as much money is consequently spent upon this article of adornment in the present year as was devoted to it in 1856-a suggestive fact for the swains who are now admiring the silken tresses of their fair partners in the dance, or at the sea-side promenade. Those who only know false hair from the curious lumps of it in the hairdressers' windows, and from a general suspicion that they see it on the heads of some of their friends, cannot form a notion of the extent to which the trade in it is carried on. It has whole sale dealers with large warehouses, and skilled labourers constantly at work. It is manufactured to meet the wishes and the purses of all classes of society, from the sixpenny frisett sold to fill out the sparse locks of the servant-of-all-work, to the ten guinea head of hair made up to aid the beauty of a duchess. To visit one of its great emporiums is to become a wiser not a sadder man. There may be seen which have been cut from living heads for

samples of hair by the thousand, all of money, to be sold again. At one of these, last week, huge canvas sacks, each weighing 150 lbs., and containing about six hundred heads of hair, were standing unpacked in one of the workshops. These give, out a close and fusty smell, suggesting some furrier's establishment where none but coarse and common furs are sold. The sacks stand on end, and are hard as well as bulky from tight packing. They have crossed the Channel recently, their contents having been cut principally from French and German heads. One is cut open for our benefit, and a strange variety of matted, greasy, unpleasant-looking hair is seen. Here is the iron grov of middle life, the snowy white of old age, the brown, and black, and you are in Rome, you must do as the Roflaxen of comparative youth, all roughly twisted up together like so many piebald horses' tails. Some of the hair is long, some short, some coarse, some fine, some neglected and dirty, some carefully combed and clean. There is a ready

the table for our instruction. This is hair We insert our correspondent's letter in its natural state as cut from the head. verbatim, but our readers will observe that and we are begged to note the difference between it and the "manufactured" hair shan case. Unfortunately for his arguments, as sold. This is very great. The latter own authorities for attempting to enforce cases dyed. Each individual hair has been passed through what looks like a fixed small-tooth comb, and has been coaxed and teased, and tortured, until the mystery is that there should be any of it left. It is then sorted according to its colour, and sold to retail houses by the ounce. It was rather melancholy to find that grey or white hair is the most valuable of all; and that false hair, which is long as well as grey, commands the highest price, from the number of old ladies wishing to counterfeit nature while preserving the insignia of years. The finest specimens of this elderly hair will sell for as much as two guineas an ounce; while the very best black or brown will sell for from eighteen shillings to a guinea, and the best flaxen at about a guinea and a half. The latter variety is, be the quality what it may, about fifty per cent. dearer than black or brown hair, while white or grey fetches more than the latter by one hundred per cent. For it is unnecessary to say that much of the hair sold is far less expensive than that just quoted. Quality, colour, and length determine its price, which ranges from a few shillings an ounce upwards.

We should mention that a considerable trade exists in false beards, moustaches, and whiskers. During the American' war a vast number of these were sent out to the United States, and a steady demand continued until the peace. - Daily News.

THE NEW CHINESE TREATY. (Saturday Review.)

The eighth article is the head and scope

of the whole treaty. For this alone, after minute examination, we are convinced, the treaty has been made; and a consideration of this clause will give the best idea of the craftiness of the American negotiator. It seems to us to exhibit that curious infelicity of language which betrays a conscious attempt at cajolery. It begins by a superfluous but suspicious disclaimer on the part of the American Government of any desire to interfere with that of China in regard to busy with the problem of the shortest route | the construction of railways and telegraphs. Such a disclaimer reads very much like Parliamentary disavowals of the same kind. to be held in Portland August 4th, to After this it proceeds :-- "But if at any time His Imperial Majesty shall determine to construct works of that character, and shall make application to the United States, the United States will designate and authorize suitable engineers to be employed by the Chinese Government, and will recommend to other nations an equal compliance with such application." There never perhaps, in the whole history of 1,650 miles from Halifax. This could be diplomacy, was penned or read such a clause as this in a treaty between two great nations. It is redolent of the smartness of * e provincial attorney and the huckstering of the provincial shopkeeper. It in effect says, "We don't wish to dictate to Your Chinese Majesty any policy about railways and telegraphs; certainly not; we know what's manners too well for that, but telegraphs and railways are the outward signs of a civilized and an enlightened age, and Your enlightened Imperial Majesty would not like to see the Celestial Empire deprived of such privileges. And should Your Majusty decide on their construction, we will undertake to have the work done for you in the tidiest manner and at the cheapest rate. Don't send to those European nations -uo, don't. The great American people invented railways and telegraphs and all the appliances of modern civilization, and they will fix these things for you in the c'everest and cheapest way possible." That is the gist of the article. Mr Burlingame wants to get a footing for his countrymen in China similar to the footing we have for some time held there. As the trade which the United States carry on with China is to the trade of England with China only in the proportion of 2 to 19, it is tolerably clear that a considerable period must elapse before the ordinary progress of commerce places England and the States on an equality. But the race is not always to the swift, nor the battle to the strong. The influence which arises out of commercial wealth may not easily be attained; but another influence, that which arises from Court favour, may be rapidly acquired. A Railway Company with a staff of engineers and telegraph constructors might inspire Emperors and Mandarins with reverence, and perhaps with awe. The concession of railways and telegraphs implies concessions of land and monopolies of traffic. Railway directors and owners of telegraphs might in the course of a few years extort more than foreign merchants had obtained in a century. An imperium in imnerio might be developed, and the policy of Pekin might be directed from Washington. Should other nations remonstrate, the second clause of this very treaty may be cited as the received explanation of other treaties, and the justification of invidious privileges.

Of the treaty between the two countries. as it is published, it is not for this country to complain. There is in it little, save the last clause, which has not been sanctioned in previous treaties. America and China have a right to make any compact with each other. We do not know, however, if there be not another and secret treaty which has recently been concluded between the Empire and the Republic; and if there be, it may possibly become a cause of future trouble. But there is one subject to which we may and must attend. The author of this treaty comes here in the character of a Chinese Minister, accredited for the express unroose of recommending changes in our existing treaty with China. Of the proposed changes we have formerly spoken. They are on their face needless, insidious and damaging to our interests. They would destroy all the fruits of our wars and our negotiations. The purport of this American Treaty reveals the purpose of its author : and if our own relations with the Empire are to bemodified in a spirit of unworthy concession to an arrogant rival, we shall atford another sad and humiliating instance of the weakness which allows a bold diplomacy to filch from us advantages which we have gained by a lavish outlay of men. money, and labour. Will Lord Stanley venture to discard a cosmopolitan liberality. and deem it the duty of an English Minister to guard English interests even at a barbarian Court ?

Mr Du Cane left England on Aug. 4 for Hobart Town, Tasmania, of which colony demand for all, and all will be submitted hy has accepted the governorship.

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Fresh Water Fish

Salmon, Pickled,

Potatoes, Macao,

Turnip, Salt,

Carrots, Salt,

Beans, broad.

Asparagus,

Curry Stuff,

Green Onions.

Shalots,

Cucumbers,

Water Cress.

Mushroom, Dried,

English Turnips.

Green Sprouts,

Radishes,

Chilies, Dried, .

Long,

French.

Green Peas, in the Shell

Large Onions, Bombay,

Young Bamboo shoots, catty

Cabbage, Large Macao, each

Cabbage, White Canton,

sees the scene, as follows:

Mr Tennyson (log.): Should you ask me, B. W. L., If that I am glad to see you, If that in my humble wigwain

We will smoke the fragrant peace-pipe I should answer, I should tell you-From the great lakes of the North Land, Where once dwelt the grim Ojibways, (Not to mention the Dakotahs.) Where the pumpkin, squash, and green-

backs. Apple sass and wooden nutmegs, Flourish in their wild profusion, Lo! I bid thee hearty welcome, O musician, and sweet singer!

The reply of Mr Longfellow must inevitably be as follows: I hold it truth with those who say

(I don't exactly know their names) That poets who have equal fames Should meet thus, in a friendly way, Though ocean waves they rise and fall (And I was ill when tempest tost,)

'Tis better to 've been ill and crossed Than never to have crossed at all! Mr Tennyson (loq.): This isn't the forest primeval; the mur-

muring trees and the hemlocks distinct in the twilight.

wine of Catawba Beautiful River: But such as I have at your service I place; enough requests, let us see what they really Mouravieff-Apostol, and the poet Relieff, port, sherry, and bitter,

now let us go in to dinner.

Judy and her readers, must not intrude upwithdrawn, when Mr Longfellow will thus address his host:

Comrade, I have dined extremely well; and - as since early dawn I have tasted nought save beer, and of that

only one small horn. You may guess that I enjoyed it; and this truth the poet sings, That, no matter how ethereal, poets suffer,

hunger's stings. If perhaps you'll excuse me. I should like to go to bed. And in slumber steep my senses, also rest my weary head.

candles and escort his quest to his room. Arrived at the bedroom door, it is per- and lecture grey-headed men who have fectly certain he will then say:

If you're waking, call me early, call me early, Alfred, dear, I find it, after London, really very pleasant

And as a walk ere breakfast I adore, if fine the day. Let us go to-morrow morning-yes, I only hope we may.

At this point the American bard retires to his couch, shutting his door. His host, however, gives a final vent to his Longfellownian feelings in these words: Stars of the summer night. High in your azure deeps,

Not too much golden light-He sleeps, My William sleeps. Dreams of the summer night;

Don't, please, with nightmare keep-Him broad awake to-night: But sleep— Yes, let him sleep,

The scene will here close. - London Judy.

SERMONS, FROM A CLERGYMAN'S POINT OF VIEW.

(The following letter is from the Spectator. SIB,—The two writers who explained some time ago in your columns, -the one why he went, the other why he did not go to Church,-agreed, if I remember right, on the subject of sermons. With each the sermon was the great weight in the opposing scale. If it did not prevail with both, this was because in one case it was more than balanced by greater powers of endurance, and by a stronger sense or need of the benefits which come from common worship. I have often wondered what these gentlemen and the multitude of cultivated persons whose dissatisfaction they express require, what it is that would satisfy them. whether any conceivable arrangement would

supply it? Gennine oratory is so rare a gift that i may be put out of the question. You may almost count upon your fingers the orators in and out of Parliament whose names the public knows. Allow for as many more who have missed or have not yet attained to fame, and you have probably accounted for the whole number. Fluency of speech which falls short of oratory will not satisfy these judges, nor will they be conquered They will always look to the matter of associations, draw more than a mountebank what they hear, and their demands in this respect are, I cannot but think, altogether unreasonable. They want, in fact, a discourse the quality of which shall be about equal to that of one of the average leaders in your paper or the papers that rank with it. No one knows better than yourself, Sir, length of sermons seem to be significant of Nicholas, however was right in saying Soverign of the Island of Mohilla, a coral that this article is not by any means easy to this fact. A discourse that lasts for half obtain. I should probably be very much overstating the number, if I said that there were a few hundred men in England capable of producing it. The clerical profession or historical subject. There are a few who may have its fair proportion of this number, feel an intellectual interest in the clery. but how insignificant a fraction must they be of the twenty-two thousand clergymen of the Church of England! How great are the chances against finding one of them in the particular pulpit whose utterances come under your criticism. And, even supposing that the article could be supplied according to demand, the demand itself is scarcely just. Let me put the case of a friend of my own. He does part of the duty of London church, and receives something less than thirty shillings per Sunday; very fair pay, too, most of his brethren will think. as there are no calls upon him during the week. But the remuneration is not too much for the labour of the day itself, the

holiday of the week, which is as precious

THE TWO POETS-AN IMAGINARY | sermon of five-and-twenty minutes would | you hear in a Scotch church or a Nonconbe more than equal to two newspaper arti- formists' chapel, is a far more careful and That Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, the cles, and would be worth, supposing the meritorious performance than the average first poet in America, will visit Alfred Ten- quality to be such as I am speaking of, five Church of England sermon. The preacher nyson, the first poet in England, is a thing pounds or more. Whether or no my friend in the one place has been taught his of course; and, although Judy is neither a can write such articles is more than I can business; the chances are that the preacher spirit-medium nor Dr Cumming, she fore- say; if he cannot, he will not satisfy his in the other has not. The demand made on judges; if he can, he is really asked to individual clergymen might be diminished. Mr Longfellow goeth on a visit to the Poet | make a great sacrifice of time and money. There might be prayers without sermons Laureate. He is met at the station by his | And what I have said of him may be said more frequently in the parish churches. of the clergy generally. Of course there while such services as those in the Catheare some who are paid so well that the very drals, where the contagious influence of a bust may fairly be asked of them. But | vast audience lifts even ordinary men take the average. There are, say, 12,000 above themselves, might be multiplied incumbents receiving something less than Finally, an opportunity of leaving the 3001, and 4,000 curates receiving something | church which might be used without offence less than 1004 a year apiece; what is it should be given to those who desire to fair to demand from them? I know that join worship, but who do not wish or do this is a very low view of the subject. If I not expect to be instructed. The comintroduce it, it is not because I am not plaints with which we are constantly conscious of or do not appreciate other consi- distressed may thus be diminished or prederations, but because it really represents | vented, but the day in which from every a fact. I acknowledge with thankfulness | pulpit will be heard discourses which wil the force of other motives; but, as a gene- satisfy you and your readers I do not hope ral rule, we must pay for what we have. If to see. able men are attracted into other professions if they have to devote their best energies to other pursuits, if, finally, and this is a plea that may be made for numbers of the clergy, and to which no exception can be taken, they give up their time to other nocessary duties of their calling, you must modify your demands in this particular much more than you seem prepared to do.

I turn now to another class of complain-Bearded with moss are not here; nor, in- itions, about faith and St. Paul's Epistles. | cholera, indeed all sorts of disorders, Ni-Do they like Druids of old stand; nor with bles of the age in which we live. You have the throne. From the very first he learned Can we regale you here, as it grows by the speak, then, as if you recognized its gran-doned. deur. These appear to be reasonable

Beer brewed by Bass shall be yours; and | Practically, we fancy, these gentlemen | peror signed the decree after the Russian | the present day it may be said that such would impose very strict limitations upon formula, "Byt po siemau," (So be it.) criticisms are only objected to in this The poets will then dine.] what they want to hear from their clergy. They were then conducted to the place of country by politicians who are determined At such moments meaner mortals, like man. Of course, they warn him off politics; execution, Relieff, a post of the highest to see supernatural wisdom in every Ameriany interference with them would, they order, was the first one led to the scaffold. can statesm n. A Republican, who, the

vehemence if he should attempt to lecture | had raised him on his shoulders to launch | occupations; if, for instance, he were to tell and he fell forward bruised and bleeding. the barrister that he cannot honestly take more briefs than he is able to attend to, the Russia," said he, raising himself without stock-jobber that time bargains are as im- even turning pale, "not even to twist a moral as gambling, or the grocer that adul- rope," terating his goods is as bad as picking the pockets of his customers. In this, perhaps, | very rare, were always considered occasions they are not altogether wrong. It is not of pardon, they sent therefore to the Winpriest's orders or the bishop's licence to ter Palace to know the will of the Empreach that qualify a man to speak authori- peror. tatively to his fellows on the moralities of social life. Shall Smith, a beardless youth las. Whereupon Mr Tennyson will ring for of twenty-four, who has seen no world beyond his school and his college, stand up nearly passed through the life which he is but just beginning? Here and there indeed, the beardless youth has the fire and unction which give him an apostolic authority; but most men must have age, experience, weight of personal character, before they can pretend to assume such a function: The fact is that in more than nine cases out of ten preaching of this kind, the out. "plain-speaking" which "S. G. O." recommends in his letter to the Times, is impossible. It is a better feeling than cowardice that keeps most men from, attempting it.

to use, very likely to be turned aside by his court a certain general, Kleinmichel, a personal feeling and by hasty judgments | disagreeable person, exceedingly unpopular, about individual men. We can all of us, and of equivocal fidelity, but who pleased indeed, preach morality, but we must do by his reticence and promptness in exeit. I think, by "boring our congregations cuting orders When the road was decided intent to effect a landing of men and arms | Mul with disquisitions on faith and St. Paul's upon by a counsel of ministers, and its in Ireland, in order to raise insurrection Epistles." While we employ Revelation erection considered urgent, a map of Russia against the Queen. On the question of are very likely to make tremendous mis- different engineers and give his perference. takes when we begin to charge Mr. A. with adultery, and Mr. B. with being a thief. This brings me to a topic which I approach with reluctance, because to deal with it honestly may lay me open to the charge of being a Pharisee,-I mean the interest which the subjects with which the preacher has to deal possess for the greater part of his hearers. Every writer seems to take it for granted that this interest is of the keenest kind; treat those subjects, they say, as they ought to be treated, and you will never fail to command the attention of your audience. I very much doubt whether this is true. Genius, indeed, or the line p gifts that resemble genius may effect this or any other marvel. But we must not count on genius. We must take that average sort of speaking which one hears in Parliament, or in Courts of Justice, or in popular lecture-rooms. I feel convinced that, given the same power of thought and expression, the speaker in the pulpit will find it ten times harder to carry his audience with

him than he would if he were pleading at the bar or lecturing on the platform, and that because his subject is uninteresting and even distasteful to the most of those that hear him. Controversial preaching, if it has sufficient vigour or acrimony, will be listened to; a lecture on Biblical antiqui- railroad." ties, which, I see, one of the correspondents of the Times recommends, will, once in a pulpit will, from the incongruity of the on the stage; but theology, theoretical and practical, which I take to be the proper topic of sermons, interests but a small minority, and the ordinary preacher starts with the enormous disadvantage of an unan hour is intolerable to men who will listen without weariness to a lecture of three times the length on some scientific, literary, whom its problems afford the same kind of pleasure that classical stories do to another man, and mathematics to a third. There are others, a more numerous class among women of Gregory XVI. to enter the holy city. possession of the Comoros in 1843, but the than men, in whom the religious element is the Pops asked, in return, by what ceres Queen, impelled by her fanatio subjects. Lobsters, attended by her fanatio subjects. aure, do not make up more than a small minority. I do not say this with any

ignore this judifference, palpably shown as it is, seems neither wise nor just. If this be the real course of the difficulto him as it is to other men. But how does ty, no remedy is possible; yet there are the case stand when you consider that he has palliatives which may be suggested: to write thirty sermons in the year. The Let clergymen take more pains with their tone. congregation would think that they were sermons, and as a necessary preliminary less than five-and-twenty minutes, and a posing them. The average discourse that weak,"

neighbours feel in law, or medicine,

commerce. If I had not that, I might be

as indifferent to it as they are. But to

THE EMPEROR NICHOLAS In the Catholic World for August we find translation of an article from Le Corres pondent, entitled "Anecdotical Memoirs by a Former Page of the Emperor Nicholas. We quote some of these stories :

AN EXECUTION. Yet these jealous instincts, and this im placable firmness in punishment, were not ants. They say we do not want a coupo- solely due to the character of the Emperor sition of superlative excellence, give us a Nicholas, but also to the sad experiences plain discourse. Don't bore us (as one | which signalized the commencement of his writer in the Times, himself a clergyman, reign. Conspiracies against the new Czar rather strangely expresses it) with disquis- revolts occasioned by the appearance o Deal with the difficulties, doubts, and trou- cholas had to suppress on his accession to the grandest subject that can be conceived; the bloody retaliations, and never par-

The first conspirators of his relgh, Pestel, were condemued to the hung. The Em-They would resent it with equal having passed the slip-knot over his head.

"Ah! the cord has broken?" said Nicho-"Yes. sire."

"Then he was almost dead? What impression has such close contact with eternity produced on the mind of the rebel?" "He is a brave man, sire." The Czar frowned.

"What did he say?" asked he, severely, "Sire, he said, They know not how even to twist a rope in Russia." "Well," replid Nicholas, "let them

prove to him the contrary." And he went NICHOLAS AS A RAILROAD ENGINBER. To a desperate caprice of the same kind is due the construction of the railroad from St. Petersburg to Moscow, called the They know that it is a dangerous weapon | Nicholas Railroad. The Emperor had in

to enforce the first principles of purity and was brought to the Czar, who was asked to naturalisation in general, Lord Stanley righteousness we can never be wrong; we look over the course designated by the Nicholas, without saying a word, took the map, marked a straight line from Moscow to St. Petersburgh, and said to the stupefied engineers: "This is the line of the railroad." "But," they all oried, "impossible.

Your majesty will find no one to undertake such a work. It would be to hide treasures "No one to undertake it when I command it to be done?' said Nicholas. "We

And signaling Kleinmichel from a corner: "Kleinmichel," said he, "you see this

"This is a new railroad I propose con structing in my empire." "Sire, it is magnificent." "You think so?" Will you charge yourthen, with the execution of my

"With the greatest pleasure, sire, your majesty orders it. But the funds, "Don't be troubled about them. As

for all the money you want." And turning to the engineers: "You see," said Nicholas to them, "I can get along without you. I will build my own

And the construction of this road lasted 10 years. It did not deviate an inch from way, be as attractive as a lecture on any the line marked out by the imperial finger; other antiquities; a mountebank in the and leaving on one side, at about a distance of 10 leagues, the villages or Nov- ful intentions and M. Leroi was allowed to Snine. rich and important, it traversed, in the turn to France without loss of time. midst of marshes and woods, nothing but | A Soveneron Grievance. - The semiimmense solitudes; 706 kilometres of iron barbarous queen of Mobilla, who has been rail cost Russia 400,000,000 francs—a little astonishing Paris by her fantastic equipage more than 500,000 a kilometre—of which and savage attendants, has visited Europe congenial subject. The common complaints | the devoted | Kleinmichel (but that as a for the purpose of having a grievance rewhich are made against the inordinate matter of course) took a good share. dressed. Her Majesty, Queen Fatima, is Sporrows,

nothing could resist him. NICHOLAS AND THE POPE. first les son : a lesson, however, both given | chiefly immigrants from Africa : although and received with dignity. It was well Persians, Arabs and Indians are said to Eels, feel an intellectual interest in theology, to known that he had changed hundreds of frequent the island. A scion of the royal Oysters, Catholic into Greek churches, in all the family of Madagascar had at one time been Shrimps. Western provinces of Russia and Poland. placed upon the throne and from him the Cravs. Curious to visit Rome, he asked permission present queen is descended. France took Prawns, monial he wished to be received.

Emperor. Lodged at the Quirinal, he went French merchant Lambert, whose doings Large Turtles, kind of spiritual pride. I feel a professionthe next day in eastern style with a guard in Madagascar were notovious two years Large Fresh Fish. al interest in theology, just like what my of Cossacks to visit the Holy Father, who ago, purchased from the queen waste lands Small received him standing at the head of the for the cultivation of sugar-cane. After M. benediction of the venerable pontiff, who be was ordered to leave the Island. He after having given it to him. without being immediately complained to the naval.com- Salt Fish, at all impressed with his Attila-like costume.

"Yes, you, my son. You are powerful.

"Holy Father, I have been slandered." The conversation continued some time in | up territory is not at all appeared by his. the cabinet of the Pope, and the Emperor success in the case of Alaska. He now remained, during his stay in Rome, oh terms | proposes to pay 600,000 dols, for a fertile of the most affectionate respect with island of the Malay group, to be used as Gregory XVI. He afterwards sent him a an East Indian station. A bargain for the magnificent alter of malachite, that may be | Feejee Islands is also spoken of, and there admired at the church of St. Paul, outside is some reason to believe that Mr Seward the walls. An inscription, dictated by is actually negotiating this purchase also. icholas to St. Peter at Rome, recalls his From Halifax there is further intellivisit to the Capital of Chrestianity: gence of the bitterness existing in Nova Nicholas came here to pray to God for his | Scotia at the incorporation of the colony mother, Russia,"

MISCELLANEOUS.

Two French actresses recently engaged u a violent altercation, in the course of which the question of age was broached The younger was just getting the better of her adversary, when she suddenly paused and pathetically exclaimed : " Oh, ciel! ciel what have I done! Abused her ; called her such names! I never knew who was my mother, and she might be."

THE Nova Scotian Assembly has passed a strong resolution against confederation - Except Marat and Fouché, who are simply that was to have been expected. But hideous, there is not a face here which is where is that "resistless demand" for not in some way attractive. Even Miraannexation to the United States which beau, though strongly marked with the Mr. Howe threatened us with? The Nova | small-pox, has an expression of intense Scotians are not the simpletons their spokes- | power in his countenance which, doubtless, man wanted to persuade us. They may not | greatly contributed to the extraordinary understand the advantages of confederation, effect he is said to have produced by his but they perfectly understand the disadvan- speeches. The first portrait in the collectages of taking upon themselves a large tion is that of Marie Antoinette-a quiet. share of the war debt of the United States. | calm, and somewhat proud face, such as Before the assembly separated, therefore, it is she might have had in her retirement at rebellion against the Crown or annexation | Next come Robespierre in profile, with a to the United States." The people will be cold, penetrating look; St. Just, a handvery much obliged to the English Parlia- some, smiling, gaily-dressed youth of twenment by and-by for declining to help them to inflict a vast injury upon themselves.

THE most plain-spoken strictures on the management of United States politics are very often confirmed by the admissions of leading American statesmen. In fact, in on them-at any rate until the cloth is | think, be grossly unbecoming to his posi- Just at the moment when the executioner, Nation leads us to believe, is a person of some distinction, writes to that journal to protest against the course taken by Congress them upon the moralities of their particular him into eternity, the too weak cord broke. during the last three years. "We have seen," he says, "a powerful majority deny-"They know not how to do anything in ling the minority the poor right of being heard in debate. We have seen the most important statutes forced through without discussion, reflection, or consideration." As accidents of this kind, besides being | And he goes on to denounce the profligacy of the civil service and the incompetency of the Republican party to manage the financial affairs of the country. He remarks :-Their settled want of a settled policy in all that relates to finance [is] little better than a partnership with the gold gamblers of Wall-street." These things are not new to the Americans, but they will be new to Beef many persons in this country.

> Some official correspondence has just been published on the subject of the im- Bul prisonment of Messrs Warren and Costello. Mr Seward claims that these two prisoners, now confined in this country, ought to be released, and points to a resolution passed in the House of Representatives on June 15, by which resolution the President is requested to take proper measures to secure the release of these prisoners, who | Porl were convicted in Great Britain for words spoken in the United States. Lord Stanley. however, points out that this allegation is unfounded: the prisoners were convicted Pige of treason-felony at the Dublin Commisgion Court last October, the principal charge against them being that they had come over to Ireland and cruised along the coast with writes that the English Government is prepared to entertain the question of a Suc treaty, but that there had been no opportu- | Calnity to introduce a bill to give effect to the | She recommendations of the report of the Rac

A curious story is told by the Berlin correspondent of the Daily News. A few days ago, he says, a stranger named Leroi put up at the principal hotel at Hersfeld, a little town half-way between Cassel and Fulda. He described himself as a painter. of Paris; but he was suspected, and finally watched by the police. It was soon found | Sh that the "painter" was taking very exact Pic sketches of the town and the neighbourhood. He was "visited," and it was then discovered that he was not only a painter, but also a French captain, and a member of the general staff. The laudrath immediately took possession of all M. Leroi's Ga papers, which he must have found a very | D. interesting study. Besides the numerous sketches, there were many extracts from works referring to military history; also an exact memorandum of the houses of the | Pheasants, Cock, town, the numbers of men that could be quartered in them, and notes for the best | Pigeons. distribution of the cavalry and infantry. Quail. The landrath went to Cassel for instructions. and the Prussian General Plouski wished to have the culprit forwarded to that city Capons, under escort. But the landrath, though evidently a shrewd man, must also be a Duck Eggs, goodnatured one, for at his representa-. Salt Eggs. tions the general gave up his more wrath- Dried Ducks. gorod, Twer, and a host of others equally escape on giving a written promise to re-Partridges.

reef twenty-two miles by eighteen in the Wild Pigeons. Contoro Islands off Madagascar. The popula-From the Holy Father he received his tion, some 6,000 or 7,000 in number, are sought to put herself under the protection "As a Catholic sovereign," replied the of the Sultan of Zauzibar. Last year the Small Turtles, -Vatiran. Nicholas knelt to receive the Lambert had made considerable prepartaions mandant at Reunion who, after vainly at | Small Fish, said to him with a serenity almost angelic: tempting to bring her Majesty to reason, Fresh Soles, reduced the town to a heap of ashes. Her Canton Salmon "My son, you persecute my sleep." reduced the town to a heap of ashes. Her Canton Salme 11" cried Nicholas in a disconcerted Majesty fled to Zanzibar, where she procured Rock Fish, money to convey her to France. If the Shark Fish, Emperor refuses her prayer, she intends to congregation were to preach on an average let them be instructed in the art of com- Do not use your strength to oppress the make a solemn appeal to the crowned heads. Skate,

Mackerel Small,

SECRETARY Seward's mania for buying

in the Canadian Dominion. A deputation had arrived from Canada to conciliate the Anti-Unionists, but the feeling is too violent to permit of any satisfactory compromise A CORRESPONDENT sends us the following

description of the portrait gallery of celebrities of the French Revolution lately opened in Paris :- "What first strikes one on entering is the noble and manly aspect of the great majority of the subjects of these partraits, most of whom were active members of the Convention, famous for their cruelty and disregard of human life. passed a resolution strongly deprecating Trianon before the revolution broke out. ty, painted shortly before his death by his friend David; Couthon, Danton, and Ca- Garlie. mille Desmoulins, all looking calm and careless, as if the guillotine had no terrors for them. There is a portrait of ndre Chemier, the classical poet, and of Rouget de Lisle, author of the "Marseillaise"the latter picture pierced in several places with bayonet thrusts. Mdme. Roland, with irregular but attractive features, and Hebert, editor of the infamous 'Père Duchesne,' come next. There are also portraits of Charlotte Corday; the Princess de Lamballe: Téroigne de Méricourt, the original 'Guddess of Reason,' who ended her days in a madhouse; Mdine. Tallien, dressed en Amazone; Talleyrand; and Louis Bopaparte, father of the present Emperor."

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Butcher Meat.			Pears, Canton, -	- catty	120
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" Tongue, - "	300	250	Plantains,	- catty	40
, Heart, - ,,	150	13u	Wompees,	_	
,, Tail, - each	120	110	Chestnuts, -	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	140
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eeps' Heart, - ,	50	40	Plums, Water, -	7. 31	
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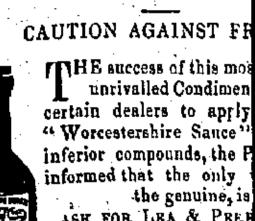
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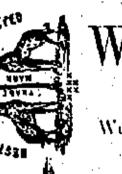
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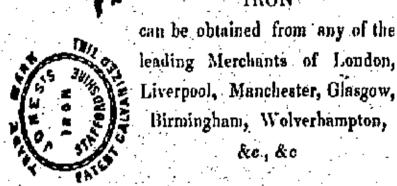
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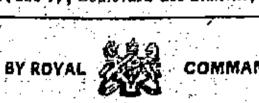


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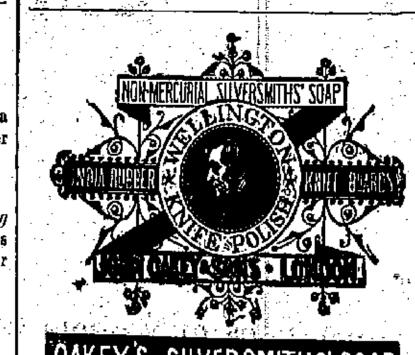
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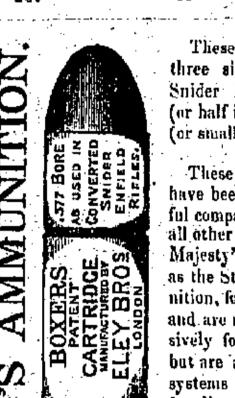
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